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FIRE LOSS IS $3,500

Three Buildings Destroyed by Conflagration at Elco

STARTS IN BARBER SHOP

Flames Spread Quickly to Adjacent Buildings--Bucket Brigade Formed

Starting from an unknown origin in the barber shop of W. H. Terrell, fire this morning destroyed three frame buildings at Elco. A loss of about $3,500 was entailed, partly covered by insurance. The buildings all belonged to Mrs. Catherine Collins, who suffered the greater part of the loss. With no better fire department than a volunteer bucket brigade practically nothing could be done to control the flames.

The fire was discovered at about 1 o'clock eating its way out of the barber shop. An alarm was sounded. Part of the building was used as a dwelling. It was a one story affair and it was but a moment until after the fire was discovered until it was a mass of flames.

Standing adjacent were two buildings, one of them a one story affair, occupied by S. C. Wainwright who had a pool room and confectionary store. The other, a two-story, six-room dwelling was occupied by Raymond Purks and family. Both caught fire and burned rapidly. Mrs. Collins, the owner of the buildings carried some insurance and Wainwright some on his stock.

Mr. Terrell had been moving out of the barber shop and Monday night there was no one there. Some of the goods of Mr. Terrell had been left in the building and it is supposed that fire from a stove in some manner caused the blaze.

MINER BADLY SCALDED WHEN PIPE BURSTS

Charles Ursitz, aged 24, a blacksmith employed at the Tremont mines, near Belle Vernon, of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company is suffering from severe scalds received in a queer accident at the mine on Sunday morning. He had occasion to enter the boiler room for a moment and while he was momentarily in front of a certain pipe, the pipe bursted. Steam hissed out upon him, scalding him terribly. He will recover.

Stockholders Meeting.

A special stockholders meeting of the Acme Brewing compnay will be held at the brewery at Bentleyville on March 20, 1912 at 11 a. m.

W. W. Piper, Pres.

175-t1-w

High test oil for incubators at the City Grocery. 182-2tw

Saturday Night Dance.

Might's New Auditorium Social dance. Gents 50 cents. Ladies 10c. Wheelers. 160-tf

Witnesses to Appear for Lewis

Donora Man Not Expected to Ask Opening of Any Ballot Boxes in Contest

The Lewis-Martin prothonotary dispute will again get under way on Friday afternoon of this week at 1 o'clock when Dr. A. V. Lewis, the present incumbent of the office and his lawyers will start in on the presentation of their side of the case.

Monday the attorneys for Lewis got out subpoenas for six witnesses these persons being the election officers in the sixth precinct of Charleroi. No other witnesses were asked for and by those who have been watching the case this is taken as an indication that the Lewis people do not intend going into the contents of the ballot boxes at this time at least.

HOPE FOR STATE AID

Washington and Claysville People Want New Road

FOSTER VIEWS ROUTE

Samuel D. Foster, of Pittsurg, State road engineer, with O. K. Taylor, of Washington, State engineer located at the county seat, with a representative of the Duquesne Contracting company, of Pittsburg, made a trip of inspection over the National pike Monday between Washington and Claysville, it being the intention to improve that road.

The party went west in an automobile and emphatically ascertained at first hand the need of improving that highway, as the road was in a fearful condition and almost impassable to the motor car.

The real object of the trip to Claysville was to ascertain exactly what is to be done in that borough. The State has agreed to pave the pike through Claysville for a width of 16 feet, and the residents of the town hope to have council consent to increasing the paving width to 24 feet, thus making a thoroughfare of proper proportions through the town.

Engineer Foster said that the work of improving the highway between Washington and Claysville would be commenced by the Duquesne Contracting company just as soon as the weather would permit. The road is to be improved a uniform width of 16 feet and the work is to be completed at the earliest possible time.

Begin Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

Sixty members of the Monongahela Y. M. C. A. will begin a campaign this week to raise funds for the annual budget of expenses. The sum of $4,000 is desired.

Ladies' Monogram Stationery.

About the classiest monogram stationery you could want at 50c per box. Any initial die stamped in neat gold panel. Might's Book Store. 182-1t

WILL CARE FOR BOYS

Juvenile Court Places Two Lads in Oakdale Home

ONE PARENT DRUNKARD

Mother Said to be Living Degrading Life--Charleroi People Take Hand

That old-time ballad about "Bessie, the Drunkard's Lone Child," had a prototype in a case that was disposed of at juvenile court at Washington Monday. In this case, however, the touching sentiment in the words of the song, "Father's a Drunkard, and Mother is Dead," was reversed, and it was, strange as it may seem, "Mother's a Drundard and Father is Dead."

The principals in the case were two neglected boys, John and Alexander Taylor, aged respectively 13 and 10 years. Originally their home was in Donora, but lately it has been any old place where they hung up their hats. Some time ago the boys were reported to juvenile court from Donora as being homeless. It was found that their father was dead, and their mother was addicted to drunkeness, and neglected the lads and gave them no care. At one time the mother was committed to the workhouse, and the boys were looked after in a way by neighbors and friends at Gallatin. While at the latter place the Charleroi juvenile court committee took the case in hand and the boys were sent to the detention rooms at Washington. From there the boys made their escape.

Later they were sent to the children's home in February, 1911, and the mother, who was destitute and unable to care for herself, was sent to the county home. Last August the mother went over from the county home to see her boys, and being left alone with them made her escape, taking the boys along. The boys were not heard of again until last week, when they were reported from Monongahela. The mother had left the boys with a man named Johnson in a shanty there where he lived. She did not provide for them, only came to see them when drunk, and Mr. Johnson was not able to keep the boys.

The juvenile court has again taken charge of them, and they will now be sent to the Industrial school at Oakdale. The mother has been in trouble several times since she left the county home, is addicted to drink and there is now a warrant out for her arrest.

PLACES TABOO ON PINK TEAS

Fayette City Minister Opposes Collecting of Money That Way

Hereafter churches in Fayette City wishing to raise money by holding "pink teas" or producing playlets will stack up against decided opposition as a result of a sermon preached Sunday night by Rev. T. M. Dunkle, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of that place.

It is stated that church societies and churches of Fayette City, following the usual custom have been giving teas and various kinds of productions whenever money is needed to carry on certain work. According to Rev. Dunkle this is the first cousin to actual sinning, if not the real thing. There was no mincing of terms in the denunciation of the "pink teas," and "cheap theatricals" on the part of Rev. Dunkle, when he launched out in his disapprobation. Fayette City dramatists and members of the women's circle squirmed at the shots, but had to endure it.

Now it looks as though Rev. Dunkle's back salary, providing he ever has any, and most ministers in small towns do, will have to be collected other [illegible] church suppers and church [illegible].

MONEY IN TREASURY

County Treasurer S. M. Downer Making Good His Pledge

INTEREST IN FEBRUARY

County Receives $824 on Money Deposited in Different Institutions

According to the Washington Record County Treasurer S. M. Downer is more than meeting the expectations of the taxpayers of the county in getting interest for idle county funds, as well as for the business-like manner in accounting which is now conducted in a manner that any person can tell at a glance the financial condition of the county. A glance at the books at the end of business on February 29, the last day of the month showed that there was in the treasury of the county $525,900.98, a decrease of $18,005.65 compared with the first month of the year, the month of January. The money of the county is placed in five funds and each fund is totaled in the books. Treasurer Downer received on the county money in interest for the month of February, the shortest in the year, the sum of $831.92. The new county depositories appointed during the month of February were the Real Estate Trust company of Washington, Alexander & Company of Monongahela, and the First National bank of Washington now making 12 depositories for the county funds.

At the close of business on the last day of February the funds of Treasurer Downer showed the following totals; Road improvement, $386,978.16; bonded debt, $8,807.27; general purposes, $113,366.73; dog fund, $2,765.47, and the state fund, $13,983.34, making a grand total of $525,900.97. The month of January showed the following financial standing: Road improvement, $391,858.67; bonded debt, $13,501.33; general purposes, $135,704.95; dog fund, $2,675.42 and the state fund, $166.25, a grand total of $543,906.62 for the month. It will be noticed that the dog fund does not show any depletion in the report. About the last day of the month 87 dog claims were allowed by the county commissioners and the county controller and these have come in since the report was concluded depleting this fund by more than $2,500.

The securing of 2 per cent interest on all the public money by Treasurer Downer has met with the instant approbation of the taxpayers of the county. An income of 2 per cent has not only been secured but such safeguards have been thrown around the public money to such an extent that it precludes the loss of even a single dollar of the funds. Three additional banking institutions were made county depositories and these with the Citizens' National bank of Washington; the Citizens' Trust Company of Canonsburg; the bank of Donora at Donora; the National bank of Claysville at Claysville; the First National bank of Monongahela; the Charleroi Savings & Trust Company of Charleroi; the First National bank of Houston; the First National bank of Roscoe, and the First National bank of Canonsburg make up the list of county depositories, the strongest banking institutions in the county. The interest secured on the county funds in January amounted to $901.45. The amount in February, a short month, was $831.92.

Donaldson a Candidate

Dr. John B. Donaldson of Canonsburg announces that he will be a candidate for Assembly on the Progressive Republican ticket. Dr. Donaldson served in the Legislature of 1889.

Degesperi.

Emma G. Degesperi, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Degesperi, of 606 Fallowfield avenue, died this morning at 3:30 o'clock. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. R. H. Sphar of Clarksburg, is the guest of Mrs. G. H. Hollman.

Gets Job; Is Killed by Train

Nelson Huggins Starts to Work With Railroad Company and Meets Death

A careful investigation will be made into the death of Nelson C. Huggins aged about 10 years, who was killed Saturday by a train near the passenger station at Belle Vernon. By some it is believed the man temporarily insane committed suicide. He lived only about two minutes after being struck his skull being crushed. His features were not recognizable.

Huggins had been out of work for some time, and it is understood that by reason of his lack of employment had gone into debt heavily. He secured a job as carpenter for the P. & L. E. railroad at Belle Vernon and was just going to work when hit. His widow lives at Belle Vernon. The funeral took place Monday and interment was in Howe's cemetery.

JAIL FOR PLEADER

California Man to Serve Time for Illegal Liquor Selling

MUST ALSO PAY FINE

John Bayus, of Daisytown, near California, charged with selling liquor without license to minors, and on Sunday, was Monday morning sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $500 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for five months

Bayus was a sort of an agent for the Rovanik liquor house, Pittsburg. He was represented by an attorney, who stated that from what he could learn the defendant did not profit by the sale of the liquor, but simply acted as a drayman for the liquor house when the goods were shipped to Daisytown. It was shipped to Bayus and distributed from his home. It appears also that the orders went in from Bayus' home. Judge McIlvaine remarked that it appeared to be just another scheme to evade the law in shipping liquor into this county.

Thomas Armandy a young foreigner, employed in the Marianna mines, admitted changing a coal check and entered a plea of guilty. He was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $1 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 60 days.

MANY CASES OF WANT AT COUNTY SEAT

According to reports of Capt. A. L. Kelley of the Salvation Army, at Washington, there is much want and destitution at the county seat. Capt. Kelly has kept in close touch with the poor and needy, and reports that many families are actually facing starvation. The winter has been particularly hard, and work is scarce with many avenues of employment shut off by the cold weather. Food, he reports, is greatly needed to relieve the distress.

CONTRACT APPROVED

Charleroi Water Company Gets Extension in North Charleroi

COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

Receives Check From Railways Company For Share of Street Paving Work

North Charleroi council approved a ten years' contract with the Charleroi Water company at their regular monthly meeting Monday night. In it certain extensions are promised by the water company and water will be furnished for washing streets of the borough. These are the chief new features. The contract is almost the same as that now in effect between Charleroi borough and the Charleroi Water company. Extensions are to be made on Lock Hill, in answer to numerous requests.

The Pittsburg Railways company presented a check for $2,405 in final payment of their share of the street improvement completed last year. The Railways company paid for paving between their tracks and for a foot on each side on the street. Final payment was held up some time by the borough not having secured rights of way for the railways company's poles on private property. With the clearing up of this matter the money was transferred.

A map was shown by the Pennsylvania Railroad company showing the new street which they will open up for the borough from Fourth street to the northern borough line. This street it is stated will be opened by the railroad in lieu of a street which they occupy.

Treasurer S. W. Sharpneck presented his report, which showed a balance in the treasury from the previous month of over $800. Burgess H. W. Scott reported that $11.25 had been collected in fines and dog taxes.

WIFE ASKS MONEY; IS HACKED IN ARM

Charged with hacking his wife with a penknife, Percy Randolph, a colored man, was sent to jail for 60 days from Monessen this morning and sentenced to pay $25 fine. Randolph who it is said, hasn't been out of jail long enough for him to get back his appetite came home Monday night a little the worse for wear. It is said his wife demanded to know something about his wages but he refused to give her any money. According to the story told today, a quarrel led to him drawing a penknife from his pocket and wielding it on her arm. He was sent to jail from Belle Vernon last October it is stated for stabbing his wife in the leg.

Firemen to Meet.

The Charleroi Volunteer Firemen will hold their regular monthly meeting tonight in their rooms in the Borough building. Monthly business will be taken up.

Saturday Afternoon.

Prof Oatman will have a Children's dancing class from 2 to 4:30 in Might's Auditorium. Lessons 35 cents. 151-tf

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March 5 In American History.

1770—Boston massacre; citizens killed by British soldiers.
1832—Isaac Israel Hayes, arctic explorer, born; died 1881.
1905—Judge John H. Reagan, sole survivor of Jefferson Davis' Confederate cabinet, died; born 1818.
1910—Louis James, the actor, died at Helena, Mont., born 1850.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:56, rises 6:26; moon rises 8:45 p. m.; moon at descending node, crossing sun's path downward.

THE THIRD TERM.

Only once in the history of this country has anyone sought nomination for a third term in the Presidency, until now; and that effort failed, says the Philadelphia Press. It was condemned by almost universal popular sentiment and by the action of the national convention before which the issue was fought out.

The candidacy of General Grant for nomination in 1880, was built up under as favorable conditions as any candidacy for a third term could expect to be. General Grant had won the gratitude, the admiration, even the affections of the people by his great services in the war for the Union. He was the most distinguished military captain of his time. He had traveled around the world, and though averse to ostentation, had been received in all lands with honors and enthusiasm enjoyed by no other American before or since. The opportunity for his return to the Presidency seemed ripe.

The plans were laid while he was abroad. His home-coming was made the occasion of demonstrations calculated to impress the country. Thousands paid honors to the great General without intending to promote a third term candidacy. In support of his ambition and as manager of his cause in the convention General Grant had the ablest galaxy of political leaders who have ever undertaken to direct a Presidential nomination. They were leaders of national distinction, who not only had almost undisputed control in their own State but were influential throughout the country. All possible glamour was given the movement.

But General Grant, illustrious as he was and great as were his services to the country, had served two terms in the Presidency and was seeking a third term. It was not a third consecutive term. There had been an interval of four years, but the sentiment was against a third term regardless of whether it was consecutive or not. With all their skill in political manipulation: with all their use of the party machinery which they controlled in several of the larger States; with almost a solid vote of the Southern delegates; with all their persuasion and eloquence and force, the Grant managers were unable to make the convention break the precedent and prejudice regarding a third term.

General Grant was defeated after a long struggle during which thirty-six ballots were taken. There is every probability that the result would have been different had it not been for the third term handicap.

Those who were not themselves intense in their objection opposed the nomination because they believed that the country would not accept any candidate for a third term, no matter how distinguished or how important his services had been and that with such a candidate the party would be defeated. The judgment was wise, and the wisdom of it has never been questioned. When the Republican National Convention of 1880 by a vote of 449 to 306 defeated Grant it not only affirmed the anti-third term precedent, but it went further and put its condemnation on any evasion of it.

The coming national convention will be confronted with this question.

RETREATING INDUSTRIES.

It was James G. Hill, the railroad magnate of the Great Northern, who warned the people that by the year 1950 our supply of coal and iron ore will have retreated almost to the company of the precious metals. Our best and most conveinent coal will have been so far consumed by that time that the remainder can only be produced at a greatly increased cost. For this reason Mr. Hill warns the people that cultivation of the soil to its utmost capacity must in the not distant future be the salvation of the people.

Charelroi already has had a graphic demonstration of retreating industries. At least two of the large coal mines in the immediate vicinity have been exhausted, and the scene of activity removed to a more distant quarter. In addition another big industry has apparently dropped out because of changing conditions. Something must be found to take the place of these retreating industries, and much could be recouped in the way of farming, if the proper attention were given to the matter.

More and better cultivation of the soil in the immediate vicinity of Charleroi is needed. Many cities and towns are taking this matter up and promoting it. Boards of Trade instead of bending their energies to getting in more industries where the cost of living is abnormally high, are devoting their attention to stimulating farming just outside of and adjacent to their centers. Washington, the county seat, is devoting some attention to this, and Charleroi can also do something along the same line with the prospect of improved roads and the trolley extension to Bentleyville. Farming is one industry that can be prevented from retreating.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A tired man is usually about as tiresome to other people as he is to himself.

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One encouraging thing is that none of the Presidential candidates are noticeably bald.

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A California man got five years in jail for stealing 15 cents. He probably would have been hung had he stolen a quarter.

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Uniontown people are more interested in whether their basketball white hopes have a chance to land Central League pennant than they are in the Roosevelt-Taft affair. But then Uniontown goes off its balance easily anyhow.

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Roosevelt is confident that he will win if direct primaries are held. Otherwise—?

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It would take more than a Congressional investigation to determine whether evils done in the name of politics or evils done in the name of religion are in the majority.

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Until a fellow has seen an unlimited number of pretty girls, it's no compliment for him to tell his best girl she is the prettiest ever.

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A Connecticut couple who went through a mock barriage ceremony have discovered that the only joke was that it took. Which supplies another reason for divorce.

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Hobson, who became a hero by kissing 300 women and doing other stunts too numerous to mention, lectured at Uniontown the other night and contented himself with telling them how to behave without once mentioning war.

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The Chicago boy who wants to play golf with the President as an opponent chose a bad time for his request, considering that the President is burdened down with the work of holding down his job.

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Diaz, the abused (?), is willing to sacrifice himself if it should be for Mexico's good. How virtuous of this self-pitying individual.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Governor John K. Tener is somewhat in the limelight in this morning's news dispatches. Starting for Philadelphia on Monday he got out at Coatsville to stretch his legs for a moment while the train was making its brief stop there. As he was climbing aboard again an old man hurried up to him and said:

"Say, would mind mailing this letter for me when you get to Philadelphia?"

"Sure not," said the Governor, and held out his hand for it.

"You'll not forget?" the old man called out as the train got under way.

"You bet I won't," was the reply and then the Governor discovered that the old man had given him something besides the letter. It was a quarter of a dollar, and the Governor not only did not forget to mail the letter, but he sent it to the post-office by messenger.

On his arrival in Philadelphia the Governor was at once the target of a horde of newspaper reporters who besought him for an opinion on the Presidential situation.

"I have taken off my coat for President Taft," said Governor Tener, "and you can say positively that I will use what influence I have to promote the President's nomination and re-election.

"In my mind Colonel Roosevelt's announcement that he will be a candidate for a third term is unjustified. Like other good Presidents, Mr. Taft should be elected for a second term. I have noticed that instead of a ground swell of public opinion for Colonel Roosevelt there has been a cavein of loyalty which is rapidly spreading all over the Nation."

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT

A fable is an open-faced lie with a moral attachment.

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Doctors may take life easy and still manage to avoid arrest.

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Most cable news is fresh, even after passing through salt water.

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While there is life there is hope for everybody but the undertaker.

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Regular dishonesty is easier to manage than irregular dishonesty.

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It's only when some men get tight that they turn themselves loose.

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If it is necessary to burn your bridges burn them in front of those on your trail

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The KITCHEN CABINET

IT IS the business of this life to make excuses for others: but none for ourselves.
—Robt. Louis Stevenson.

It is well that God answers our needs rather than our wishes, else many of us would escape the hardships which have most to do in strengthening and beautifying our characters.

HOUSEKEEPING TIPS.

Keep all the old whiskbrooms for sink brushes.

Kerosene rubbed on with a cloth will clean zinc nicely. Also applied to bath tubs of porcelain will cleanse from all grease. Rinse in hot water.

Washing lamp chimneys by immersing them in hot water makes them brittle. Steam the chimneys over a teakettle spout and rub dry with an old linen cloth.

Keep a bowl of cold water at hand in which to dip the hands when picking over or hulling fruit for canning.

Old pieces of flannelette make fine floor cloths and may be used for broom bags and mops.

To remove potato, onion and other vegetable stains from the hands, rub with a slice of tomato.

Skim the fat off from the chicken broth and save it for shortening. It is fine for biscuits.

Some times it is almost impossible to drive a nail in hard wood, but if it is first rubbed with soap it will slide in much easier.

When mending holes in lace curtains a darn shows so painly, but a piece of lace as near like the curtain as possible put under the hole and ironed down after dampening with raw starch water will stay and be unnoticed. Trim the edges around the hole after ironing.

All wood ash... should be saved and put on the lawn in the fall to sweeten the soil. They are an addition to the garden. Dampen them before spreading, to keep the wind from blowing them away.

All tubers should be put in early enough to get a start before the hard freezes come or there will be poor blossoms on the tulips next spring.

Watch the canned fruit, by looking the cans over occasionally. Any that is spoiling may be reclaimed by reheating.

Nellie Maxwell.

An Indirect Economy.

"I suppose you find living less expensive since you took to gathering your own mushrooms."

"A little," replied Mr. Growcher. "We don't save anything on the mushrooms, but all our friends have quit accepting invitations to dinner."

WOMAN'S EMOTIONS

When all else fails we still have tears.

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Beware of old sweethearts—whether yours or hers.

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Intellect in children all comes from the maternal side.

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Most love affairs manage to become a matter of finance

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In France they call these kissing women "demi-vierge."

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The woman—the product of a supernumerary bore.—Not original.

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Many a great business is built up on the ruins of domestic happiness.

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Women have inspired many great men by first breaking their hearts.

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We can't live with them and we can't live without them.—From India—very ancient.

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All great minds come from great mothers. Imagine a great mother dressed a la mode!

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God made woman on Saturday—at the end of the week—when he was tired.—Alex Dumas Fils.

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Carnegie says there are two sides to some of his associates' divorce stories, but none cares for the man's side.—The Gimlet.

SAYS THE OWL

No man becomes a jailbird for a lark.

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The door of adversity is never locked.

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It is the doing, not the saying, that makes the hero.

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The proof of the bluffer is in his failure to make good.

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In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing hundreds of thousands of letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, many of whom state that it has saved them from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made from roots and herbs, and is perfectly harmless.

The reason why it is so successful is because it contains ingredients which act directly upon the female organism, restoring it to healthy and normal activity.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

A MIGHTY REMEDY

Cures Backache, Sideache and all Kidney, Liver and Bladder Diseases Or Money Back.

Yes money back; that's the offer that W. F. Hennings' the agent in Charleroi makes if Thompson's Barosma fails to cure any of the above named diseases.

And when you stop to think, that's a wonderfully generous offer from the viewpoint of the afflicted, the sick and the suffering.

So if you are ill, have the blues, have lost ambition, have backache or pains in your side, if your urine is high colored, and your eyes dull and complexion sallow, the chances are that your kidneys are weak and clogged up, and that your blood is full of impurities

So why wait when Thompson's Barosma is guaranteed to restore your health. Get a bottle today at W. F. Hennings.' There are two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00.

Five years ago Charles Schultz of Dunkirk, N. Y., was so weak and run down that he decided to give up his business. He took Barosma and in a few months he regained his health and gained 55 pounds in weight. Today he writes: "I have been in perfect health ever since I wrote you five years ago." All druggists.

Mills Down for Repairs.

Five mills of the Tin Plate plant at Monessen shut down Monday for repairs. They are numbers, 17 to 21 inclusive. Approximately 125 men will be laid off for a period of from three to five weeks until the repairs are completed.

You Can't Save Anything?

That's too bad, for the man who cannot save is certain to be poor all his life—

Suppose you try this plan—

Take a dollar or two out of your next pay and come straight to this bank and open a savings account. Then add something to it every payday before you part with a dime for anything else—

Many of our depositors who have adopted this plan are building up nice accounts.

4 per cent. and absolute safety guaranteed.

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charges moderate

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Hugh E. Fergus
Attorney-At-Law
Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa

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506 Fallowfield Avenue
Bell 'Phone 108 J

This Cold Weather, water pipes will freeze and break, send for

Bartley & Bates

to repair them

Bell Phone 5-R 602 M'Kean

DON'T GET COLD

But Order Your Coal From
MILLER & COOPER

General hauling and moving. All orders promptly attended to. We have three teams. Bell 'Phone 176-R or 144-W. Charleroi 'Phone 175-A

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Tod Mannow's Strategy

"Shucks!" said Tod Mannows, distinctly. Then he sat down on the lowest step and glumly surveyed the back yard. Never before had he noted how extremely large is a back yard 30 by 30 feet.

Thrusting his hands into his pockets he leaned back stiffly and continued to glower at the vast expanse. The reason for this sudden and extreme dislike for the rear part of the Mannows premises was the ultimatum issued that morning at breakfast by the elder Mannows.

"I'm tired of your fooling around getting into mischief all through vacation," his father had announced at the conclusion of an episode relating to two broken windows, a carelessly thrown baseball and an irate neighbor. "You are big and strong enough to devote your surplus energy to something useful. I have long wished to have a garden. Now, you may spade up the entire back yard so that next spring it will be in condition to plant. You can take as long as you like for its accomplishment, but you've got to work at it for awhile every day."

Tod was well acquainted with his father. Nothing short of a convulsion of nature and the complete wiping out of the Mannows premises would suffice to alter that decree. Therefore, he remarked again with desperate emphasis, "Shucks!" and then got to his feet slowly.

At an ear piercing whistle from the next yard he looked even more glum than before. The summons emanated from Fatty Dyckman and meant that the boys were gathering in the baseball lot.

"Can't!" Tod yelled to Fatty. "Gotta spade a garden!"

Fatty's head rose above the high board fence. "Aw, cumalong!" he said, unbelievingly. He looked serious, however, when Tod appeared at the basement door with a spade in his hand. "Gee!" he breathed. "That's fierce! Mebbe I'll help you," Fatty said nobly. "If I get time, that is," he added, more cautiously.

Tod did not cheer up at the handsome offier. He was a pessimist on this subject. Fatty's head disappeared, and Tod with great effort spaded up at least a teaspoonful of the soil. Manual labor was his acute idea of nothing at all to do.

Suddenly something in the dirt glittered and he pounced upon it breathlessly. It was nothing but a bit of glass. As he turned it over in his fingers an idea crept into his brain. A grin slowly transfigured his features. Then he dropped the piece of glass and the spade, ran to the rear door and slid into the house.

When he emerged he had his mother's embroidery scissors and a large back comb that belonged to his sister. It had been laid away in her top bureau drawer to await the return of the style demanding large back combs in one's hair. Thickly strewn over it were big, sparkly brilliants which glittered in the sunlight like the best product of the South African mines.

It did not take the boy long to pry them all loose. They made a handful.

Tod planted three of them very near the spot where he had spaded up the teaspoonful of soil. Then he distributed the others over the yard with the skill of a veteran salter of gold mines. Next he strolled to the fence. Fatty was just starting out with his catchers' glove.

"Yow-w-w!" Tod yelled. "I must 's sprained by wrist!" He dangled it in the air. "Pa'll jump on me for not spadin', too!"

Fatty looked irresolute. "I s'pose I kin do a little before the boys git there," he said, heroically. He climbed the fence and took the spade.

"Right here I started," Tod directed, nursing his wrist. "Oh, gee!"

Fatty had shoveled two swadefuls of earth when he suddenly went down on his knees.

"What's the matter?" asked Tod from the back steps.

"Nothin'," Fatty replied, bending over something he held in his hand. He made another wild grab into the dirt. Then he turned around with an excited face.

"Say," he called. "You'd better go into the house and lie down. You can't tell about a sprain. Mebbe it's broke. You wanta be careful! Anyhow, I like to spade!"

"All right," said Tod reluctantly "Don't work too hard," he cautioned Fatty as he disappeared through the back door.

Frequently during the morning he abandoned his hammock and wild west book and plate of fudge, which his sister thought she had hidden behind the top row of books, to look out upon Fatty Dyckman. That energetic young person was toiling furiously. Dirt streaked his perspiring face, and frequently he paused and rubbed his aching back. Now and then he made a triumphant grab into the spaded earth.

That evening the senior Mannows looked with surprise at the large amount of work accomplished in the garden. Nearly all of it was spaded.

"You must have worked like a sailer!" he said to his son. "I didn't mean that you should kill yourself by spading it all in one day!"

"Aw," said Tod indistinctly, as he slid out to join the boys. "That was fond easy!"

MAKES GOOD HATPIN HOLDER

Glass Tube, With Ribbon Adornments, Best Receptacle That Can Be Provided.

Sticking one's hatpins into the pin cushion generally results in the ruin of a dainty cover and very much detracts also from the attractive and harmonious effect of the dressing table. It is much wiser to have a special receptacle for them.

A very pretty and useful hatpin holder can be made by covering a glass tube with ribbon. These tubes can be bought at many of the large shops. They are just long enough to hold the hatpins, are closed at the bottom and finished at the top with a little lipllke rim. After buying the glass buy ribbon to match the decorations of your room just wide enough to make a cover for the glass by sewing two pieces together. The cover may be either the length of the tube and put on smooth, or it may be longer and shirred on each side. The latter way is prettier, but it will catch dust and must be frequently brushed out.

At the bottom of the case the ribbon is gathered together tightly, and either a tassel sewed on or a bunch of bows of baby ribbon. At the top it is finished by hemming each piece of ribbon separately, not sewing the pieces together. The hem must be wide enough to come out beyond the rim of the glass. A long loop of the baby ribbon is sewed at the top of each seam to hang the case up or one piece of ribbon may be used, an end sewed at each side. In either case a small bunch of bows is used as a finish where the ribbon is sewed.

When the ribbon case is finished slip in the tube, which should be a close fit. If there is nothing in the room that seems convenient to hang the case on it is a good plan to buy a long brass hook at a hardware shop and screw it into any appropriate place, such as a door or window frame. An important point to be remembered is always to put your hatpins in the case when taking them out of your hat. You will then never have to hunt for the right pins for a certain hat.

AVOID TOO MANY CLOTHES

All Right to Be Well Supplied, But a Surplus Is Neither Economy Nor Sense.

A woman who desires to dress well on a small income, and it can be done, must learn first of all never to have too many clothes on hand at once. Let her buy the things she needs, wear them out, and then buy others. It is better to have one well-fitting, tailor-made suit, keep it rigorously pressed and in order, wear it until it shows signs of wear, and then replace it, than it is to have several inferior suits. As to large stocks of underwear, they are only an anxiety. If not looked after frequently they grow yellow. Styles, too, alter frequently in underwear as in outer garments; also human figures alter and grow fat sometimes, and the treasured articles won't fit when they are brought out. As to shoes, it is better for the feet and better for the shoes to have several changes and wear them in rotation, but if shoes are kept too long the leather is apt to rot.

NOVELTIES ARE IN DEMAND

Elaborate Garnitures to Be in Evidence During Coming Fall and Winter Months.

Bead, metal, silk and worsted embroideries all promise to have a large vogue throughout the coming fall and winter. Elaborate garnitures in the form of blouse and tunic patterns are being shown on foundations of chiffon. There is practically no limit to the variety that is seen, and the greater the novelty the more popular the effect.

Standing bugles are a new feature in bead embroideries. Part of the design is worked out with the beads upright. This results in a handsome relief work, wholly new, and thus far much taken by buyers of extreme novelties. In bead embroideries odd shapes in pendant ornaments and bugles are intermingled with beads in various sizes.

Round wooden beads, dyed in color, are being much used by the model houses. Many other new embroideries will be executed in heavy silk thread, with the wooden beads carrying out part of the design.

THE NEWEST "NINICHE"

In shot blue and black straw, with bows of geranium-pink taffetas.

Bureau Sachets.

Pads for one's bureau drawers made with a layer of clover or sweet clover blossoms dried retain the fragrance for months, imparting it delicately to the contents of the drawer.

Germs Spread in Skin

Eczema, Psoriasis and other skin troubles are caused by myriads of germs at work in the skin. Unless these germs are promptly destroyed they rapidly multiply, gnawing their way deep into the sensitive tissue. This is what causes that awful itch, and what seemed a mere rash may grow worse and develop into a loathsome and torturing skin disease with its years of misery.

Don't take any chances! Destroy the germs at the beginning of the trouble with that soothing and cleansing wash, the D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema. A 25c bottle will prove this to you.

We have had experience with many remedies for skin trouble but have never seen such remarkable cures as those from D. D. D. Prescription. Instant relief from the very first application.

We are so confident that D. D. D. will reach your case that it will cost you nothing if the very first full size bottle fails to make good every claim.

If you have skin trouble of any kind, we certainly advise you to drop in and investigate the merits of D. D. D. anyway. We know that D. D. D. will help you.

W. F. Henning, Fifth Street and McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

A Physician's Report on Tuberculosis Medicine

"Have used Eckman's Alterative in several cases of tubercular glands of the neck, with excellent results every time. In one case it cost me $50, for the girl was put on it only until she could arrange to be operated, and in a short time an operation was not needed. I suppose your records are just as fine as of old. You know my faith in it."

Eckman's Alterative is effective in other forms. Read what Mrs Garvin says:—

Idaho Falls, Idaho.

"Gentlemen: I have gained twenty-two pounds since last February and my baby is in perfect health. She is now four months old. I have been waiting since she was born to see how I would get along. I am now doing all my work, have been ever since she was four weeks old, and I am steadily gaining. I do not cough or raise anything at all. I believe my lung trouble is cured."

(Signed Affidavit) MRS. M. H. GARVIN.

Note—Mrs. Garvin is the mother of seven children

Eckman's Alterative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

W. F. Henning, Charleroi, Pa.

CHILDREN'S KIDNEYS

No Charleroi Mother Should Neglect the Little One's Health.

Oftentimes weak kidneys cause great annoyance and embarrassment to children. Inability to control the kidney secretions, at night or while at play, is attributed to carelessness and too frequently the child is punished. Parents having children troubled with kidney weakness would do well to treat the kidneys with a tested and proven kidney remedy. If there is pain in the back, discolored urine, irregular urination, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, begin giving Doan's Kidney Pills at once. This remedy has been used in Kidney troubles for over 75 years—it has cured and has been recommended by thousands. Proof in a Charleroi citizen's statement.

Mrs. Robert Coulter, 207 Prospect Avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago my son contracted the measles and on recovering, I noticed that his kidneys were very weak. He had no control over the passage ff the kidney secretions and this was especially annoying at night. I had often seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised in the local papers and was finally induced to procure a supply at Piper Bros., Drug Store. I had my son use them according to direction and before long he was greatly benefitted. He is still using Doan's Kidney Pills and I am certain that a complete cure will soon be effected."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FOR DYSPEPSIA

You Risk No Money if You Try This Remedy.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bisbuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin carefully combined so as to develop their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They tend to soothe the irritable, weak stomach to strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, to relieve nausea and indigestion, thus promoting nutrition and bringing about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reasonable trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents 50 cents and $1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at our store—The Rexall Store. Carroll's Drug Store, 623 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi.

Nineteen Miles a Second.

without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No griping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25c. W. F. Henning's.

Every Woman's Complexion

is bound to show whether or not she is in good physical condition. If the complexion is muddy, the skin sallow; if pimples or skin blemishes appear it is then attention must be given to improve the bodily condition. There is one safe and simple way. Clear the system and purify the blood with a few doses of

Beecham's Pills

This well known vegetable family remedy is famous for its power to improve the action of the organs of digestion and elimination. They will regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver, tone the stomach and you will know what it is to be free from troubles, from headaches, backaches, lassitude, and extreme nervousness. They will make you feel healthier and stronger in every way. By clearing your system of poisonous waste Beecham's Pills will have good effect upon your looks—these they

Will Beautify and Improve

The directions with every box are of special value and importance to women.
Sold everywhere. In boxes 10c., 25c.

Grand Theatre

Donora, Pa.

Thursday, March 7th

Monte Thompson Presents

The Best of American Comedies

The Man on the Box

From Harold McGrath's Most Popular Novel

SPECIAL CAST AND PRODUCTION

Prices---25c, 50c, 75c & $1.00

Seats on sale now at Piper and Dague's Druggists

DANDRUFF AND ITCHING SCALP YIELD TO ZEMO TREATMENT

Why should you continue to experiment with salves, greasy lotions and fancy hair dressings trying to rid your scalp of germ life. They can't do it because they cannot penetrate to the seat of the trouble and draw the germ life to the surface of the scalp and destroy it.

Why not try a PROVEN REMEDY? One that will do this. We have a remedy that will rid the scalp of germ life and in this way will cure DANDRUFF and ITCHING SCALP.

This remedy is ZEMO (ANTISEPTIC SOAP and one application of ZEMO will entirely rid the scalp of dandruff and scurf. Do not hesitate, but get a bottle of ZEMO today. It acts on a new principle and will do exactly what we claim for it.

Sold and endorsed in Charleroi by the Piper Bros. Drug Store.

EGGS FOR SETTING

RHODE ISLAND REDS

(100 Eggs for $5.00)

Inquire--J. K. MITCHELL

801 Crest Avenue Charleroi, Pa.

Persistent Advertising Brings Business Success

If the money that is spent every year by "occasional" advertisers were added up it would be found to amount to a large sum. By "occasional" adveristing is meant the using of space at irregular periods in newspapers. Local publicity is often done this way under the excuse of helping the paper, but the real reason, if the advertiser could be got to admit it, is that he is half hearted about the matter. He partly looks upon advertising as a luxury anyhow and so curtails his expenditure on it to the lowest limit.

Although the retailer may regard publicity as a luxury, it yet seems to be a dream on his part that one day he will make some real success and a handsome fortune through advertising. Indeed, down deep in all retailers' hearts is a feeling that money can positively be made through advertising. They know that huge fortunes have been and are being piled up by retail merchants with the aid of this limitless force, and they have secret hopes that one day they also may strike the royal road to success. If they but knew it that road lies straight and plain before every retailer in the country if he would only open his eyes to see it.

John Wanamaker, the great New York and Philadelphia retail merchant, on one occasion said: "Advertising doesn't jerk; it pulls." It begins very gently at first, but the pull is steady. It is likened to a team pulling a heavy load. A thousand spasmodic, jerky pulls will not budge that load, while one-half the force in steady effort will start and keep it moving."

Here is the solution in a nutshell—steady effort. The merchant who uses newspaper space only "occasionally" is the one who is dissatisfied with results. It is the steady pounding—and pounding again—that makes success in advertising as in everything else. All advertising is good in porportionate degree to how it is done, and even occasional advertising has some value, but to be successful to the point of permanently increasing your bank account, it must be done presistently and systematically.

What would you say about a clerk in your store who waited on your customers for a day or two and then sat down to rest for a few more days, leaving the customers to attend to themselves? You know how long your business would last under such conditions. It is the same with newspaper advertising. Publicity in newspapers is simbly salesmanship on paper, and the same rules apply to it as apply to salesmanship in your store. Continuous effort and eternal polishing up of ideas and methods are necessary to make success either as a personal salesman in your store or as a salesman in newspapers.

You advertise to sell your goods and keep your name in front of people. It is only reasonable to suppose that you will be better able to do this with presistent effort than with spasmodic attempts. If you were to tell a man or woman daily about the quality and prices of your wares you would produce more effect than if you were to talk to him or her at uncertain intervals.

The question of changing the salesmanship or "copy" in your advertising space is an important one.

Some merchants never stop to think about an ad until the big industries pay rolls around, and then they write their copy in a few minutes, when time and thought is necessary, and then "rush" it to the newspapers the day they want it to appear, and than expect immediate returns.

Advertisement constructing is a profession like medicine or law. When you are sick you go to a physician; when you get into a legal difficulty you go to a lawyer.

When your business needs a stimulant why should you not put a competent man the job, and if you do not have such a man why not get one? and if you cannot do this why not employ someone out of the store to do it? Would you keep a clerk in your employ who could not wait upon a customer in the right way? Of course you would not—Your advertising copy not only needs but requires the same discrimination.

If you give it this attention, keep at it, sell the right kinds of goods at the right prices, and live up to your advertising, there is no doubt about your ultimate success.

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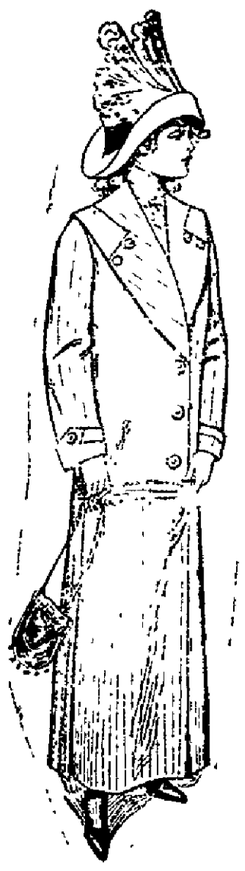
Spring Coats :: and Suits ::



WE want to demonstrate to more people as we have already demonstrated to thousands, that we're in this business in-a-big way to meet your wishes with the greatest ease as to size, kind and color, and save you Dollars on every transaction. We have received from the makers, and are now showing, many beautiful and serviceable models in Spring Coats and Suits.

Our Spring Coats are all that could be desired in design and workmanship, embodying all the chic and smartness of the best designers of Europe and America. We have them in Serges, Whipcords and fancy Mixtures—in blues, grays and tans.

Our Suits will be a revelation to you and you will note the change in the style and fit. There are many smart models in Serges, Whipcords and Mixtures from which you should readily pick one to meet your approval.

Come and see the new assortments, learn about the prices, find out about the savings.

"Please you and save you money," that's our object ---as a pleased purchaser is our best advertisement

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

CHARLEROI, PENNA.

Among The Passers

Dark's folks weren't any more in the game in the second half than Jim Jeffries was in the battle with Jack Johnson three years back.

Speaking of greased lightning and other quicker things for which there is no name, there are the flashes of Adams and five others.

Allie Brown tore around the floor and did the sharp-shooting stunt always with six or four hanging to his shins.

The crowd was about as thick as a Sunday School picnic in a hornet's camp. Those who weren't there missed one of the best games of the season.

Dolin batted one in from the scrimmage at the east side of the floor after everybody else had had a try and thereby put a feather in his cap.

Sir William Herron threw one in from the rear end of the cage somewhere—his usual kind. At another time he got the ball under the basket with nobody near. Too close for him to sharpshoot successfully with both eyes open he solved the rifficulty by closing one. Talk about applause.

Captain Dark kept himself out of the game because of a boil on his right arm.

Cavanaugh got disgruntled because Dolin batted one in from a scrimmage, and accomplished the same thing himself.

Kummer landed a nice goal after threading his way through the Cherub forces nearly the length of the floor.

Adams, Jimsey Brown and Allie Brown formed an impregnable team on passing and shooting. Once Adams got the ball for a throw to the basket but hampered too much fooled the Coke boys, overthrow the netting into the hands of Allie Brown who shot safely.

No time was taken out in the first half.

Kummer showed the white streak in the latter part of the game, particularly in his foul shooting.

Jimsey Brown's speed in dribbling sorely tried the C'villians.

Special

TODAY

Men's and Ladies' Shoes worth $3.50 to $4.00, our special

$2.45

ADOLPH BEIGEL

502 Fallowfield Avenue **Charleroi, Pa.**

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

Charleroi 47; Connellsville 24
Uniontown 27; Johnstown 23

Standing of the Clubs

	W	L	Pct
Johnstown	41	19	.698
Uniontown	13	19	.691
Connellsville	34	29	.160
Charleroi	27	36	.429

Tonight's Schedule.

Uniontown at Connellsville.

EQUAL FRANCHISE SOCIETY IN COUNTY

After next Saturday Washington county will have an Equal Franchise League, a branch of the State and National organizations of that character. A meeting will be held in the public meeting room of the court house at Washington Saturday afternoon for the purpose of effecting the organization. Mrs. Janet Lyle of Buffalo Village is one of the leaders of the movement and it is expected that the meeting will be largely attended by women from all sections of the county.

HOODOO FINALLY BROKEN

Charleroi Turns Tables on Connellsville Folks

IS A TERRIBLE BEATING

The hoodoo that has been pursuing the Cherub basketball five for the last nine games, was given the go-by sign Monday night, when Charleroi met and defeated the Dark Connellsville aggregation. They did more than defeat them—they soundly spanked them so that Kummer and one or two others were ready to burst out crying when the timer called time. The curtain was drawn on the sad scene when the figures showed Charleroi 47, Connellsville 24.

Adams started the indignation meeting. His first contribution was a field goal. Dolin assumed the center of the stage next with a floor tally. This much took just one minute. By three floor shots and one foul Connellsville acquired the lead which they held until they got nine points.

At that juncture Adams pulled his coherts out of a small hole by a foul and a moment later Allie Brown scored. Without being headed Charleroi climbed to 16 by another of the Allie Brown field goals and four Adams' foul tosses.

Connellsville tied the score at 16 through field goals by Kummer and Beggs and a foul by Kummer. Before there was time to say "shod," they chalked up another field goal, and led for the second time of the game. However, their moments of grace were short lived. Adams and Jimsey Brown scoring each a field goal. The end of the first part was 20 to 18, favor ourn.

Charleroi allowed, get that, simply permitted for encouragement the Connellsvillians to score four times in the second half and two of those were foul goals. Meanwhile Captain John R. Adams, James Brown, James Dolin, Allie Brown and Sir William Herron were engaged in the delectable pastime of placing themselves in every conceivable position on the floor and shooting into the basket. Adams and Allie Brown proved the most conspicuous in the way of scoring and general all round playing. The team work of the Charleroi team was many percent above par. Lineup:

Charleroi 47		Connellsville 24.
Adams	F	Beggs
J. Brown	F	Kummer
Dolin	C	Cavanaugh
A. Brown	G	Doherty
Herron	G	Egolf

Fieldgoals—Adams 6, J. Brown 3, Dolin 2, A. Brown 4, Herron 2, Beggs 2, Kummer 3, Cavanaugh, Doherty 2, Egolf. Foul goals—Adams 13 out of 21, Kummer 6 out of 12. Referee—Weitzel.

Liggetts in the Field.

Manager Clark of the Liggett baseball team of Monongahela expects to be in the field again this season with an independent baseball club. Some new members are in prospect and a strong line-up is indicated.

MANY DRAWN TO MONESSEN BY THE PROMISE OF WORK

The announcement of new construction work about to begin at Monessen has brought many men seeking employment to that place. On an average of about 20 men have been nightly quartered for the last four nights at the Monessen police station it is said, nearly all of them strangers who say they are looking for work. Some who seem to be earnest in the matter have been given jobs at the steel mill and other Monessen mills.

Moose Lodge Buys Property.

The Loyal Order of Moose at California has purchased a lot fronting 60 feet on Wood street in the normal town for a consideration of $5,000. It is understood that the erection of a club house there is contemplated.

Railroad Buys Ground.

Ida M. Mansell of Belle Vernon has sold to the Pennsylvania Railroad company a lot in North Charleroi. The consideration was $1,500.

INDEPENDENTS GET FRANCHISE

Donora Council Grants Right to Telephone Company to Install Service

In one night by a suspension of the rules for second and third readings, Donora council passed an ordinance Monday night finally granting the Independent Telephone Construction company, the right to construct lines in the borough and institute a telephone service. The ordinance is now in the hands of the burgess and it is understood he will sign it.

The Independent Telephone Construction company which is the controlling spirit in the independent telephone service of this part of the Monongahela valley has been fighting for a foothold in Donora for some time. It is understood that work will begin as soon as possible on the construction of lines. Meanwhile the company will work farther north along the river, and Monongahela will probably be the next point of attack.

Monessen is, after about three years fighting still keeping out the independent company.

FIGHT FANS TO GET CHANCE TO WITNESS MILL AT MONESSEN

Boxing fans up the Monongahela valley are to be treated to some rattling good bouts in the near future. A show is being arranged for an early date in Monessen, and Jimmy Mason's stable of classy fighters will appear against worthy opponents in the principal bouts. "Red" Bobinson is to hook up in the main event with a clever foeman. Al Grayber will meet another good man in the semi-windup and Eddie Wimler will appear in one of the other events.

Died Alone in Shanty.

Coroner Heffran received word Monday morning of the death of a foreigner in a shanty at Gastonville near Finleyville. His name was not learned. Dr. Witherspoon, of Finleyville had been called, and death was evidently due to natural causes. The coroner will make a further investigation.

No New Developments.

Quietness prevails at Chamouni where a mine strike over the use of the safety lamp is now on. There have been no developments lately.

Auditor for North Charleroi.

On petition of Tom P. Sloan, R. A. Metz, John O. Wilson, Thad. Brant J. P. Kelley and Harry W. Scott of the borough of North Charleroi, the court on Monday appointed Seth C. Bane auditor.

Huber-Harlan.

Clarence Huber and Miss Pearl Harlan, both of Twilight borough were married Saturday by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice. They will likely live in Twilight.

The Last Word.

Creep into thy narrow bed,
Creep and let no more be said.
Vain thy onset! All stand fast.
Thou thyself must break at last.

Let the long contention cease!
Geese are swans and swans are geese.
Let them have it how they will!
Thou art tired, best be still.

They outtalked thee, hiss'd thee, tore thee?
Better men fared thus before thee;
Fired their ringing shot and pass'd,
Hotly charged—and sank at last.

Charge once more, then, and be dumb!
Let the victors, when they come,
When the forts of folly fall,
Find thy body by the wall!

LOCAL MENTION

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold its regular meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the reading rooms of the Young Peoples' Branch in the Odd Fellows' building.

Mrs. T. M. Faddis has gone to Philadelphia to visit friends.

Rev. G. G. Kerr, of Canonsburg, was a visitor in Charleroi this morning.

James Dolin, of the Charleroi basketball team, went to his home in Homestead this morning to visit.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer is a visitor in Pittsburg.

Bruce K. Barnett and Frank Arrison visited friends in Uniontown.

R. H. Rush left today for Harrisburg to look after some business matters.

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YOUNG PEOPLES' BRANCH TO OPEN READING ROOMS

The room on the first floor of the Odd Fellows Building at the corner of Washington avenue and Fifth street, which was recently rented by the Young People's branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be formally opened on Saturday of this week when an afternoon and evening reception will be held. The room has been fitted up and furnished largely through donations.

One feature will be the library, which will be a part of the organization. For this donations of books are now being received and the public on Saturday will be partly for the purpose of receiving additional volumes. It is proposed to keep the room open each evening of the week from 7 o'clock until 9:30. Up-to-date magazines and newspapers will be provided, and the library will be public.

CHARTER SPECIAL FOR TRIP TO HEAR "BILLY" SUNDAY

Special round trip tickets are being sold at Washington for an excursion to Wheeling Thursday to attend the meetings of Billy Sunday now in progress at the West Virginia city. Many of the county seat people attended the meeting Sunday, at which it is stated 36,000 were present. The tabernacle there is said to be the largest ever erected for any of the Snuday meetings, and it was so crowded that overflow meetings were held.

Poor City to Visit.

Friend—"And were you ever in Venice?" Mr. Richquick—"Yes. Slowest town I was ever in. The sewers were busted all the time we were there."—Puck.

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FIRE LOSS IS $3,500

Three Buildings Destroyed by Conflagration at Elco

STARTS IN BARBER SHOP

Flames Spread Quickly to Adjacent Buildings--Bucket Brigade Formed

Starting from an unknown origin in the barber shop of W. H Terrell, fire this morning destroyed three frame buildings at Elco A loss of about $3,500 was entailed, partly covered by insurance The buildings all belonged to Mrs Catherine Collins, who suffered the greater part of the loss. With no better fire department than a volunteer bucket brigade practically nothing could be done to control the flames

The fire was discovered at about 1 o'clock eating its way out of the barber shop. An alarm was sounded. Part of the building was used as a dwelling It was a one story affair and it was but a moment until after the fire was discovered until it was a mass of flames.

Standing adjacent were two buildings, one of them a one story affair, occupied by S. C. Wainwright who had a pool room and confectionary store. The other, a two-story, six-room dwelling was occupied by Raymond Purks and family. Both caught fire and burned rapidly. Mrs. Collins, the owner of the buildings carried some insurance and Wainwright some on his stock

Mr. Terrell had been moving out of the barber shop and Monday night there was no one there. Some of the goods of Mr. Terrell had been left in the building and it is supposed that fire from a stove in some manner caused the blaze.

MINER BADLY SCALDED WHEN PIPE BURSTS

Charles Ursitz, aged 24, a blacksmith employed at the Tremont mines, near Belle Vernon, of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke company is suffering from severe scalds received in a queer accident at the mine on Sunday morning. He had occasion to enter the boiler room for a moment and while he was momentarily in front of a certain pipe, the pipe bursted. Steam hissed out upon him, scalding him terribly. He will recover.

Stockholders Meeting.

A special stockholders meeting of the Acme Brewing compnay will be held at the brewery at Bentleyville on March 20, 1912 at 11 a. m.

W. W. Piper, Pres.

175-t1-w

High test oil for incubators at the City Grocery. 182-2tw

Saturday Night Dance.

Might's New Auditorium Social dance. Gents 50 cents. Ladies 10c. Wheelers. 160-tf

Witnesses to Appear for Lewis

Donora Man Not Expected to Ask Opening of Any Ballot Boxes in Contest

The Lewis-Martin prothonotary dispute will again get under way on Friday afternoon of this week at 1 o'clock when Dr. A V. Lewis, the present incumbent of the office and his lawyers will start in on the presentation of their side of the case.

Monday the attorneys for Lewis got out subpoenas for six witnesses these persons being the election officers in the sixth precinct of Charleroi No other witnesses were asked for and by those who have been watching the case this is taken as an indication that the Lewis people do not intend going into the contents of the ballot boxes at this time at least

HOPE FOR STATE AID

Washington and Claysville People Want New Road

FOSTER VIEWS ROUTE

Samuel D Foster of Pittsburg State road engineer, with O K Taylor, of Washington. State engineer located at the county seat, with a representative of the Duquesne Contracting company, of Pittsburg, made a trip of inspection over the National pike Monday between Washington and Claysville. it being the intention to improve that road.

The party went west in an automobile and emphatically ascertained at first hand the need of improving that highway, as the road was in a fearful condition and almost impassable to the motor car.

The real object of the trip to Claysville was to ascertain exactly what is to be done in that borough. The State has agreed to pave the pike through Claysville for a width of 16 feet, and the residents of the town hope to have council consent to increasing the paving width to 24 feet, thus making a thoroughfare of proper proportions through the town.

Engineer Foster said that the work of improving the highway between Washington and Claysville would be commenced by the Duquesne Contracting company just as soon as the weather would permit. The road is to be improved a uniform width of 16 feet and the work is to be completed at the earliest possible time

Begin Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

Sixty members of the Monongahela Y. M. C. A. will begin a campaign this week to raise funds for the annual budget of expenses. The sum of $4,000 is desired.

Ladies' Monogram Stationery.

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WILL CARE FOR BOYS

Juvenile Court Places Two Lads in Oakdale Home

ONE PARENT DRUNKARD

Mother Said to be Living Degrading Life--Charleroi People Take Hand

That old-time ballad about "Bessie, the Drunkard's Lone Child," had a prototype in a case that was disposed of in juvenile court at Washington Monday. In this case, however, the touching sentiment in the words of the song, "Father's a Drunkard, and Mother is Dead," was reversed, and it was, strange as it may seem, "Mother's a Drunkard and Father is Dead."

The principals in the case were two neglected boys, John and Alexander Taylor, aged respectively 13 and 10 years Originally their home was in Donora, but lately it has been any old place where they hung up their hats Some time ago the boys were reported to juvenile court from Donora as being homeless It was found that their father was dead, and their mother was addicted to drunkeness, and neglected the lads and gave them no care At one time the mother was committed to the workhouse, and the boys were looked after in a way by neighbors and friends at Gallatin While at the latter place the Charleroi juvenile court committee took the case in hand and the boys were sent to the detention rooms at Washington From there the boys made their escape.

Later they were sent to the children's home in February, 1911, and the mother, who was destitute and unable to care for herself, was sent to the county home Last August the mother went over from the county home to see her boys, and being left alone with them made her escape, taking the boys along. The boys were not heard of again until last week, when they were reported from Monongahela. The mother had left the boys with a man named Johnson in a shanty there where he lived. She did not provide for them, only came to see them when drunk, and Mr. Johnson was not able to keep the boys.

The juvenile court has again taken charge of them, and they will now be sent to the Industrial school at Oakdale. The mother has been in trouble several times since she left the county home, is addicted to drink and there is now a warrant out for her arrest.

PLACES TABOO ON PINK TEAS

Fayette City Minister Opposes Collecting of Money That Way

Hereafter churches in Fayette City wishing to raise money by holding "pink teas" or producing playlets will stack up against decided opposition as a result of a sermon preached Sunday night by Rev T. M. Dunkle, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of that place.

It is stated that church societies and churches of Fayette City, following the usual custom have been giving teas and various kinds of productions whenever money is needed to carry on certain work According to Rev. Dunkle this is the first cousin to actual sinning, if not the real thing. There was no mincing of terms in the denunciation of the "pink teas," and "cheap theatricals" on the part of Rev. Dunkle, when he [illegible] in his disapprobation. Fayette City dramatists and members of the women's circle squirmed at the shots, but had to endure it.

Now it looks as though Rev. Dunkle's back salary, providing he ever has any, and most ministers in small towns do, will have to be collected other than by church suppers and church plays.

MONEY IN TREASURY

County Treasurer S. M. Downer Making Good His Pledge

INTEREST IN FEBRUARY

County Receives $824 on Money Deposited in Different Institutions

According to the Washington Record County Treasurer S M. Downer is more than meeting the expectations of the taxpayers of the county in getting interest for idle county funds as well as for the businesslike manner in accounting which is now conducted in a manner that any person can tell at a glance the financial condition of the county A glance at the books at the end of business on February 29, the last day of the month showed that there was in the treasury of the county $525,900 98, a decrease of $18,905 65 compared with the first month of the year, the month of January. The money of the county is placed in five funds and each fund is totaled in the books Treasurer Downer received on the county money in interest for the month of February the shortest in the year, the sum of $824 92 The new county depositories appointed during the month of February were the Real Estate Trust company of Washington, Alexander & Company of Monongahela, and the First National bank of Washington now making 12 depositories for the county funds.

At the close of business on the last day of February the funds of Treasurer Downer showed the following totals: Road improvement, $336,978.16; bonded debt, $8,807 27, general purposes, $113,366.73; dog fund, $2,765.47, and the state fund $13,983.34, making a grand total of $525,900.97. The month of January showed the following financial standing: Road improvement, $391,858 67; bonded debt, $13,501 33; general purposes, $135,704.95; dog fund, $2,675.42 and the state fund. $166.25, a grand total of $543,906 62 for the month. It will be noticed that the dog fund does not show any depletion in the report. About the last day of the month 87 dog claims were allowed by the county commissioners and the county controller and these have come in since the report was concluded depleting this fund by more than $2,500.

The securing of 2 per cent interest on all the public money by Treasurer Downer has met with the instant approbation of the taxpayers of the county. An income of 2 per cent has not only been secured but such safeguards have been thrown around the public money to such an extent that it precludes the loss of even a single dollar of the funds. Three additional banking institutions were made county depositories and these with the Citizens' National bank of Washington; the Citizens' Trust Company of Canonsburg; the bank of Donora at Donora: the National bank of Claysville at Claysville; the First National bank of Monongahela; the Charleroi Savings & Trust Company of Charleroi; the First National bank of Houston; the First National bank of Roscoe, and the First National bank of Canonsburg make up the list of county depositories. the strongest banking institutions in the county The interest secured on the county funds in January amouted to $904.45. The amount in February, a short month, was $891 92

Donaldson a Candidate

Dr. John B. Donaldson of Canonsburg announces that he will be a candidate for Assembly on the Progressive Republican ticket. Dr. Donaldson served in the Legislature of 1889.

Degesperi.

Emma G. Degesperi, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Degesperi, of 606 Fallowfield avenue, died this morning at 3:30 o'clock. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. R. H. Sphar of Clarksburg, is the guest of Mrs. G. H. Hollman.

Gets Job; Is Killed by Train

Nelson Huggins Starts to Work With Railroad Company and Meets Death

A careful investigation will be made into the death of Nelson C Huggins aged about 40 years, who was killed Saturday by a train near Lion. By some it is believed the man temporarily insane committed suicide He lived only about two minutes after being struck his skull being crushed His features were not recognizable.

Huggins had been out of work for some time and it is said that on account of his lack of employment he got into debt heavily He secured a job as carpenter for the P & L. E railroad at Belle Vernon and was just going to work when hit His widow lives at Belle Vernon the funeral took place Monday and interment was in Howe's cemetery.

JAIL FOR PLEADER

California Man to Serve Time for Illegal Liquor Selling

MUST ALSO PAY FINE

John Bayus, of Daisytown, near California, charged with selling liquor without license to minors, and on Sunday, was Monday morning sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $500 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for five months

Bayus was a sort of an agent for the Rovanik liquor house, Pittsburg He was represented by an attorney, who stated that from what he could learn the defendant did not profit by the sale of the liquor, but simply acted as a drayman for the liquor house when the goods were shipped to Daisytown. It was shipped to Bayus and distributed from his home. It appears also that the orders went in from Bayus' home. Judge McIlvaine remarked that it appeared to be just another scheme to evade the law in shipping liquor into this county.

Thomas Armandy a young foreigner, employed in the Marianna mines, admitted changing a coal check and entered a plea of guilty. He was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $1 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 60 days.

MANY CASES OF WANT AT COUNTY SEAT

According to reports of Capt A. L. Kelley of the Salvation Army, at Washington, there is much want and destitution at the county seat. Capt Kelly has kept in close touch with the poor and needy, and reports that many families are actually facing starvation The winter has been particularly hard, and work is scarce with many avenues of employment shut off by the cold weather. Food, he reports, is greatly needed to relieve the distress.

CONTRACT APPROVED

Charleroi Water Company Gets Extension in North Charleroi

COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

Receives Check From Railways Company For Share of Street Paving Work

North Charleroi council approved a ten years' contract with the Charleroi Water company at their regular monthly meeting Monday night. In it certain extensions are promised by the water company and water will be furnished for washing streets of the borough. These are the chief new features. The contract is almost the same as that now in effect between Charleroi borough and the Charleroi Water company. Extensions are to be made on Lock Hill, in answer to numerous requests

The Pittsburg Railways company presented a check for $2,405 in final payment of their share of the street improvement completed last year. The Railways company paid for paving between their tracks and for a foot on each side on the street Final payment was held up some time by the borough not having secured rights of way for the railways company's poles on private property With the clearing up of this matter the money was transferred.

A map was shown by the Pennsylvania Railroad company showing the new street which they will open up for the borough from Fourth street to the northern borough line. This street it is stated will be opened by the railroad in lieu of a street which they occupy.

Treasurer S. W. Sharpneck presented his report, which showed a balance in the treasury from the previous month of over $800. Burgess H. W. Scott reported that $11.25 had been collected in fines and dog taxes.

WIFE ASKS MONEY; IS HACKED IN ARM

Charged with hacking his wife with a penknife. Percy Randolph, a colored man, was sent to jail for 60 days from Monessen this morning and sentenced to pay $25 fine. Randolph who it is said, hasn't been out of jail long enough for him to get back his appetite came home Monday night a little the worse for wear. It is said his wife demanded to know something about his wages but he refused to give her any money. According to the story told today, a quarrel led to him drawing a penknife from his pocket and wielding it on her arm. He was sent to jail from Belle Vernon last October it is stated for stabbing his wife in the leg

Firemen to Meet.

The Charleroi Volunteer Firemen will hold their regular monthly meeting tonight in their rooms in the Borough building. Monthly business will be taken up.

Saturday Afternoon.

Prof Oatman will have a Children's dancing class from 2 to 4:30 in Might's Auditorium. Lessons 35 cents. 151-tf

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March 5 In American History.

1770—Boston Massacre: citizens killed by British soldiers.

1832—Isaac Israel Hayes, arctic explorer, born, died 1881.

1905—Judge John H. Reagan, sole survivor of Jefferson Davis' Confederate cabinet, died; born 1818.

1910—Louis James, the actor, died at Helena, Mont., born 1840.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:56; rises 6:26; moon rises 8:45 p. m.; moon at descending node crossing sun's path downward.

THE THIRD TERM.

Only once in the history of this country has anyone sought nomination for a third term in the Presidency, until now; and that effort failed, says the Philadelphia Press. It was condemned by almost universal popular sentiment and by the action of the national convention before which the issue was fought out.

The candidacy of General Grant for nomination in 1880, was built up under as favorable conditions as any candidacy for a third term could expect to be. General Grant had won the gratitude, the admiration, even the affections of the people by his great services in the war for the Union. He was the most distinguished military captain of his time. He had traveled around the world, and though averse to ostentation, had been received in all lands with honors and enthusiasm enjoyed by no other American before or since. The opportunity for his return to the Presidency seemed ripe.

The plans were laid while he was abroad. His home-coming was made the occasion of demonstrations calculated to impress the country. Thousands paid honors to the great General without intending to promote a third term candidacy. In support of his ambition and as manager of his cause in the convention General Grant had the ablest galaxy of political leaders who have ever undertaken to direct a Presidential nomination. They were leaders of national distinction, who not only had almost undisputed control in their own State but were influential throughout the country. All possible glamour was given the movement.

But General Grant, illustrious as he was and great as were his services to the country, had served two terms in the Presidency and was seeking a third term. It was not a third consecutive term. There had been an interval of four years, but the sentiment was against a third term regardless of whether it was consecutive or not. With all their skill in political manipulation; with all their use of the party machinery which they controlled in several of the larger States; with almost a solid vote of the Southern delegates; with all their persuasion and eloquence and force, the Grant managers were unable to make the convention break the precedent and prejudice regarding a third term.

General Grant was defeated after a long struggle during which thirty-six ballots were taken. There is every probability that the result would have been different had it not been for the third term handicap.

Those who were not themselves intense in their objection opposed the nomination because they believed that the country would not accept any candidate for a third term, no matter how distinguished or how important his services had been and that with such a candidate the party would be defeated. The judgment was wise, and the wisdom of it has never been questioned. When the Republican National Convention of 1880 by a vote of 149 to 306 defeated Grant it not only affirmed the anti-third term precedent, but it went further and put its condemnation on any evasion of it.

The coming national convention will be confronted with this question.

RETREATING INDUSTRIES.

It was James G. Hill, the railroad magnate of the Great Northern, who warned the people that by the year 1950 our supply of coal and iron ore will have retreated almost to the company of the precious metals. Our best and most conveinent coal will have been so far consumed by that time that the remainder can only be produced at a greatly increased cost. For this reason Mr. Hill warns the people that cultivation of the soil to its utmost capacity must in the not distant future be the salvation of the people.

Charetroi already has had a graphic demonstration of retreating industries. At least two of the large coal mines in the immediate vicinity have been exhausted, and the scene of activity removed to a more distant quarter. In addition another big industry has apparently dropped out because of changing conditions. Something must be found to take the place of these retreating industries, and much could be recouped in the way of farming, if the proper attention were given to the matter.

More and better cultivation of the soil in the immediate vicinity of Charleroi is needed. Many cities and towns are taking this matter up and promoting it. Boards of Trade instead of bending their energies to getting in more industries where the cost of living is abnormally high, are devoting their attention to stimulating farming just outside of and adjacent to their centers. Washington, the county seat, is devoting some attention to this, and Charleroi can also do something along the same line with the prospect of improved roads and the trolley extension to Bentleyville. Farming is one industry that can be prevented from retreating.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A tired man is usually about as tiresome to other people as he is to himself.

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One encouraging thing is that none of the Presidential candidates are noticeably bald.

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A California man got five years in jail for stealing 15 cents. He probably would have been hung had he stolen a quarter.

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Uniontown people are more interested in whether their basketball white hopes have a chance to land Central League pennant than they are in the Roosevelt-Taft affair. But then Uniontown goes off its balance easily anyhow.

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Roosevelt is confident that he will win if direct primaries are held. Otherwise—?

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It will take more than a Congressional investigation to determine whether evils done in the name of politics or evils done in the name of religion are in the majority.

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Until a fellow has seen an unlimited number of pretty girls, it's no compliment for him to tell his best girl she is the prettiest ever.

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A Connecticut couple who went through a mock barriage ceremony have discovered that the only joke is that it took. Which supplies another reason for divorce.

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Hobson, who became a hero by kissing 300 women and doing other stunts too numerous to mention, lectured at Uniontown the other night and contented himself with telling them how to behave without once mentioning war.

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The Chicago boy who wants to play golf with the President as an opponent chose a bad time for his request, considering that the President is burdened down with the work of holding down his job.

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Diaz, the abused (?), is willing to sacrifice himself if it should be for Mexico's good. How virtuous of this self-pitying individual.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Governor John K. Tener is somewhat in the limelight in this morning's news dispatches. Starting for Philadelphia on Monday he got out at Coatsville to stretch his legs for a moment while the train was making its brief stop there. As he was climbing aboard again an old man hurried up to him and said:

"Say, would mind mailing this letter for me when you get to Philadelphia?"

"Sure not," said the Governor, and held out his hand for it.

"You'll not forget?" the old man called out as the train got under way.

"You bet I won't," was the reply and then the Governor discovered that the old man had given him something besides the letter. It was a quarter of a dollar, and the Governor not only did not forget to mail the letter, but he sent it to the post-office by messenger.

On his arrival in Philadelphia the Governor was at once the target of a horde of newspaper reporters who besought him for an opinion on the Presidential situation.

"I have taken off my coat for President Taft," said Governor Tener, "and you can say positively that I will use what influence I have to promote the President's nomination and re-election.

"In my mind Colonel Roosevelt's announcement that he will be a candidate for a third term is unjustified. Like other good Presidents, Mr. Taft should be elected for a second term. I have noticed that instead of a ground swell of public opinion for Colonel Roosevelt there has been a cavein of loyalty which is rapidly spreading all over the Nation."

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT

A fable is an open-faced lie with a moral attachment.

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Doctors may take life easy and still manage to avoid arrest.

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Most cable news is fresh, even after passing through salt water.

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While there is life there is hope for everybody but the undertaker.

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Regular dishonesty is easier to manage than irregular dishonesty.

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It's only when some men get tight that they turn themselves loose.

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If it is necessary to burn your bridges burn them in front of those on your trail.

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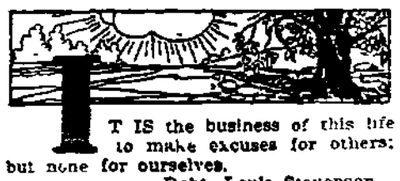

IT IS the business of this life to make excuses for others; but none for ourselves.
—Robt. Louis Stevenson

It is well that God answers our needs rather than our wishes, else many of us would escape the hardships which have most to do in strengthening and beautifying our characters.

HOUSEKEEPING TIPS.

Keep all the old whiskbrooms for sink brushes.

Kerosene rubbed on with a cloth will clean zinc nicely. Also applied to bath tubs of porcelain will cleanse from all grease. Rinse in hot water.

Washing lamp chimneys by immersing them in hot water makes them brittle. Steam the chimneys over a teakettle spout and rub dry with an old linen cloth.

Keep a bowl of cold water at hand in which to dip the hands when picking over or hulling fruit for canning.

Old pieces of flannelette make fine floor cloths and may be used for broom bags and mops.

To remove potato, onion and other vegetable stains from the hands, rub with a slice of tomato.

Skim the fat off from the chicken broth and save it for shortening. It is fine for biscuits.

Some times it is almost impossible to drive a nail in hard wood, but if it is first rubbed with soap it will slide in much easier.

When mending holes in lace curtains a darn shows so painly, but a piece of lace as near like the curtain as possible put under the hole and ironed down after dampening with raw starch water will stay and be unnoticed. Trim the edges around the hole after ironing.

All wood ash[illegible] could be saved and put on the lawn in the fall to sweeten the soil. They are an addition to the garden. Dampen them before spreading, to keep the wind from blowing them away.

All tubers should be put in early enough to get a start before the hard freezes come or there will be poor blossoms on the tulips next spring.

Watch the canned fruit, by looking the cans over occasionally. Any that is spoiling may be reclaimed by reheating.

Nellie Maxwell.

An Indirect Economy.

"I suppose you find living less expensive since you took to gathering your own mushrooms."

"A little," replied Mr. Growcher. "We don't save anything on the mushrooms, but all our friends have quit accepting invitations to dinner."

WOMAN'S EMOTIONS

When all else fails we still have tears.

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Beware of old sweethearts—whether yours or hers.

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Intellect in children all comes from the maternal side.

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Most love affairs manage to become a matter of finance.

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In France they call these kissing women "demi-vierge."

—

The woman—the product of a supernumerary bore.—Not original.

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Many a great business is built up on the ruins of domestic happiness.

—

Women have inspired many great men by first breaking their hearts.

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We can't live with them and we can't live without them.—From India—very ancient.

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All great minds come from great mothers. Imagine a great mother dressed a la mode!

—

God made woman on Saturday—at the end of the week—when he was tired.—Alex. Dumas Fils.

—

Carnegie says there are two sides to some of his associates' divorce stories but none cares for the man's side.—The Gimlet.

SAYS THE OWL

No man becomes a jailbird for a lark.

—

The door of adversity is never locked.

—

It is the doing, not the saying, that makes the hero.

—

The proof of the bluffer is in his failure to make good.

WOMAN'S MOST SUCCESSFUL MEDICINE

Known All Over The World —Known Only For The Good It Has Done.

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or received so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

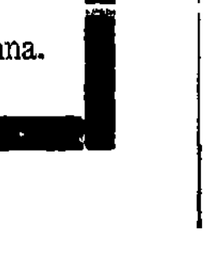
In nearly every community you will find women who have been restored to health by this famous medicine. Almost every woman you meet knows of the great good it has been doing among suffering women for the past 30 years.

In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing hundreds of thousands of letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, many of whom state that it has saved them from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made from roots and herbs, and is perfectly harmless.

The reason why it is so successful is because it contains ingredients which act directly upon the female organism, restoring it to healthy and normal activity.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.



A MIGHTY REMEDY

Cures Backache, Sideache and all Kidney, Liver and Bladder Diseases

Or Money Back.

Yes money back; that's the offer that W. F. Hennings' the agent in Charleroi makes if Thompson's Barosma fails to cure any of the above named diseases.

And when you stop to think, that's a wonderfully generous offer from the viewpoint of the afflicted, the sick and the suffering.

So if you are ill, have the blues, have lost ambition, have backache or pains in your side, if your urine is high colored, and your eyes dull and complexion sallow, the chances are that your kidneys are weak and clogged up, and that your blood is full of impurities.

So why wait when Thompson's Barosma is guaranteed to restore your health. Get a bottle today at W. F. Hennings.' There are two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00.

Five years ago Charles Schultz of Dunkirk, N. Y., was so weak and run down that he decided to give up his business. He took Barosma and in a few months he regained his health and gained 55 pounds in weight. Today he writes: "I have been in perfect health ever since I wrote you five years ago." All druggists.

Mills Down for Repairs.

Five mills of the Tin Plate plant at Monessen shut down Monday for repairs. They are numbers, 17 to 21 inclusive. Approximately 125 men will be laid off for a period of from three to five weeks until the repairs are completed.

You Can't Save Anything?

That's too bad, for the man who cannot save is certain to be poor all his life—

Suppose you try this plan—

Take a dollar or two out of your next pay and come straight to this bank and open a savings account. Then add something to it every payday before you part with a dime for anything else—

Many of our depositors who have adopted this plan are building up nice accounts.

4 per cent. and absolute safety guaranteed.

BANK OF CHARLEROI

Charleroi, Pa.

Capital and Surplus
$305,000.00

Open Saturday Evenings

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For any kind of repair work, send for

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Hugh E. Fergus

Attorney-At-Law

Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa

Bell Phone 68-R Charleroi 123-A

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401 Crest Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

Manicuring, Shampooing, Hair Dressing and Weaving, Face and Scalp Massaging, Chiropody.

MRS. NEALER

506 Fallowfield Avenue
Bell 'Phone 108 J

This Cold Weather, water pipes will freeze and break, send for

Bartley & Bates

to repair them

Bell Phone 5-R 602 M'Kean

DON'T GET COLD

But Order Your Coal From
MILLER & COOPER

General hauling and moving. All orders promptly attended to. We have three teams. Bell 'Phone 176-R or 144-W. Charleroi 'Phone 175-A

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Is the Kind Produced by the Mail Job Rooms

New and Up-to-Date Type, the Best of Stock, First Class Machinery and a "Little Brains" are all essential in the production of a first class piece of printed matter. ∴∴∴

LET US SUBMIT SAMPLES TO PROVE OUR CLAIMS

MAIL PUBLISHING COMPANY

QUALITY PRINTERS

211 Fifth Street ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ Charleroi, Penna.

Tod Mannow's Strategy

"Shucks!" said Tod Mannows, distinctly. Then he sat down on the lowest step and glumly surveyed the back yard. Never before had he noted how extremely large is a back yard 30 by 30 feet.

Thrusting his hands into his pockets he leaned back stiffly and continued to glower at the vast expanse. The reason for this sudden and extreme dislike for the rear part of the Mannows premises was the ultimatum issued that morning at breakfast by the elder Mannows.

"I'm tired of your fooling around getting into mischief all through vacation," his father had announced at the conclusion of an episode relating to two broken windows, a carelessly thrown baseball and an irate neighbor. "You are big and strong enough to devote your surplus energy to something useful. I have long wished to have a garden. Now, you may spade up the entire back yard so that next spring it will be in condition to plant. You can take as long as you like for its accomplishment, but you've got to work at it for awhile every day."

Tod was well acquainted with his father. Nothing short of a convulsion of nature and the complete wiping out of the Mannows premises would suffice to alter that decree. Therefore, he remarked again with desperate emphasis, "Shucks!" and then got to his feet slowly.

At an ear piercing whistle from the next yard he looked even more glum than before. The summons emanated from Fatty Dyckman and meant that the boys were gathering in the baseball lot.

"Can't!" Tod yelled to Fatty. "Gotta spade a garden!"

Fatty's head rose above the high board fence. "Aw, cumalong!" he said, unbelievingly. He looked serious, however, when Tod appeared at the basement door with a spade in his hand. "Gee!" he breathed. "That's fierce! Mebbe I'll help you," Fatty said nobly. "If I get time, that is," he added, more cautiously.

Tod did not cheer up at the handsome offer. He was a pessimist on this subject. Fatty's head disappeared, and Tod with great effort spaded up at least a teaspoonful of the soil. Manual labor was his acute idea of nothing at all to do.

Suddenly something in the dirt glittered and he pounced upon it breathlessly. It was nothing but a bit of glass. As he turned it over in his fingers an idea crept into his brain. A grin slowly transfigured his features. Then he dropped the piece of glass and the spade, ran to the rear door and slid into the house.

When he emerged he had his mother's embroidery scissors and a large back comb that belonged to his sister. It had been laid away in her top bureau drawer to await the return of the style demanding large back combs in one's hair. Thickly strewn over it were big, sparkly brilliants which glittered in the sunlight like the best product of the South African mines.

It did not take the boy long to pry them all loose. They made a handful.

Tod planted three of them very near the spot where he had spaded up the teaspoonful of soil. Then he distributed the others over the yard with the skill of a veteran salter of gold mines. Next he strolled to the fence. Fatty was just starting out with his catchers' glove.

"Yow-w-w!" Tod yelled. "I must 's sprained by wrist!" He dangled it in the air. "Pa'll jump on me for not spadin', too!"

Fatty looked irresolute. "I s'pose I kin do a little before the boys git there," he said, heroically. He climbed the fence and took the spade.

"Right here I started," Tod directed, nursing his wrist. "Oh, gee!"

Fatty had shoveled two swadefuls of earth when he suddenly went down on his knees.

"What's the matter?" asked Tod from the back steps.

"Nothin'," Fatty replied, bending over something he held in his hand. He made another wild grab into the dirt. Then he turned around with an excited face.

"Say," he called. "You'd better go into the house and lie down. You can't tell about a sprain. Mebbe it's broke. You wanta be careful! Anyhow, I like to spade!"

"All right," said Tod reluctantly "Don't work too hard," he cautioned Fatty as he disappeared through the back door.

Frequently during the morning he abandoned his hammock and wild west book and plate of fudge, which his sister thought she had hidden behind the top row of books, to look out upon Fatty Dyckman. That energetic young person was toiling furiously. Dirt streaked his perspiring face, and frequently he paused and rubbed his aching back. Now and then he made a triumphant grab into the spaded earth.

That evening the senior Mannows looked with surprise at the large amount of work accomplished in the garden. Nearly all of it was spaded.

"You must have worked like a nailer!" he said to his son. "I didn't mean that you should kill yourself by spading it all in one day!"

"Aw," said Tod indistinctly, as he slid out to join the boys. "That was dead easy!"

MAKES GOOD HATPIN HOLDER

Glass Tube, With Ribbon Adornments, Best Receptacle That Can Be Provided.

Sticking one's hatpins into the pin cushion generally results in the ruin of a dainty cover and very much detracts also from the attractive and harmonious effect of the dressing table. It is much wiser to have a special receptacle for them.

A very pretty and useful hatpin holder can be made by covering a glass tube with ribbon. These tubes can be bought at many of the large shops. They are just long enough to hold the hatpins, are closed at the bottom and finished at the top with a little liplike rim. After buying the glass buy ribbon to match the decorations of your room just wide enough to make a cover for the glass by sewing two pieces together. The cover may be either the length of the tube and put on smooth, or it may be longer and shirred on each side. The latter way is prettier, but it will catch dust and must be frequently brushed out.

At the bottom of the case the ribbon is gathered together tightly, and either a tassel sewed on or a bunch of bows of baby ribbon. At the top it is finished by hemming each piece of ribbon separately, not sewing the pieces together. The hem must be wide enough to come out beyond the rim of the glass. A long loop of the baby ribbon is sewed at the top of each seam to hang the case up or one piece of ribbon may be used, an end sewed at each side. In either case a small bunch of bows is used as a finish where the ribbon is sewed.

When the ribbon case is finished slip in the tube, which should be a close fit. If there is nothing in the room that seems convenient to hang the case on it is a good plan to buy a long brass hook at a hardware shop and screw it into any appropriate place, such as a door or window frame. An important point to be remembered is always to put your hatpins in the case when taking them out of your hat. You will then never have to hunt for the right pins for a certain hat.

AVOID TOO MANY CLOTHES

All Right to Be Well Supplied, But a Surplus Is Neither Economy Nor Sense.

A woman who desires to dress well on a small income, and it can be done, must learn first of all never to have too many clothes on hand at once. Let her buy the things she needs, wear them out, and then buy others It is better to have one well-fitting, tailor-made suit, keep it rigorously pressed and in order, wear it until it shows signs of wear, and then replace it, than it is to have several inferior suits. As to large stocks of underwear, they are only an anxiety. If not looked after frequently they grow yellow. Styles, too, alter frequently in underwear as in outer garments; also human figures alter and grow fat sometimes, and the treasured articles won't fit when they are brought out. As to shoes, it is better for the feet and better for the shoes to have several changes and wear them in rotation, but if shoes are kept too long the leather is apt to rot.

NOVELTIES ARE IN DEMAND

Elaborate Garnitures to Be in Evidence During Coming Fall and Winter Months.

Bead, metal, silk and worsted embroideries all promise to have a large vogue throughout the coming fall and winter. Elaborate garnitures in the form of blouse and tunic patterns are being shown on foundations of chiffon. There is practically no limit to the variety that is seen, and the greater the novelty the more popular the effect.

Standing bugles are a new feature in bead embroideries. Part of the design is worked out with the beads upright. This results in a handsome relief work, wholly new, and thus far much taken by buyers of extreme novelties. In bead embroideries odd shapes in pendant ornaments and bugles are intermingled with beads in various sizes.

Round wooden beads, dyed in color, are being much used by the model houses. Many other new embroideries will be executed in heavy silk thread, with the wooden beads carrying out part of the design.

THE NEWEST "NINICHE"

In shot blue and black straw, with bows of geranium-pink taffetas.

Bureau Sachets.

Pads for one's bureau drawers made with a layer of clover or sweet clover blossoms dried retain the fragrance for months, imparting it delicately to the contents of the drawer.

Germs Spread in Skin

Eczema, Psoriasis and other skin troubles are caused by myriads of germs at work in the skin. Unless these germs are promptly destroyed they rapidly multiply, gnawing their way deep into the sensitive tissue. This is what causes that awful itch, and what seemed a mere rash may grow worse and develop into a loathsome and torturing skin disease with its years of misery.

Don't take any chances! Destroy the germs at the beginning of the trouble with that soothing and cleansing wash, the D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema. A 25c bottle will prove this to you.

We have had experience with many remedies for skin trouble but have never seen such remarkable cures as those from D. D. D. Prescription. Instant relief from the very first application.

We are so confident that D. D. D. will reach your case that it will cost you nothing if the very first full size bottle fails to make good every claim.

If you have skin trouble of any kind, we certainly advise you to drop in and investigate the merits of D. D. D. anyway. We know that D. D. D. will help you.

W. F. Henning, Fifth Street and McKean Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

A Physician's Report on Tuberculosis Medicine

"Have used Eckman's Alterative in several cases of tubercular glands of the neck, with excellent results every time. In one case it cost me $50, for the girl was put on it only until she could arrange to be operated, and in a short time an operation was not needed. I suppose your records are just as fine as of old. You know my faith in it."

Eckman's Alterative is effective in other forms. Read what Mrs. Garvin says:—

Idaho Falls, Idaho.

"Gentlemen: I have gained twenty-two pounds since last February and my baby is in perfect health. She is now four months old. I have been waiting since she was born to see how I would get along. I am now doing all my work, have been ever since she was four weeks old, and I am steadily gaining. I do not cough or raise anything at all. I believe my lung trouble is cured."

(Signed Affidavit) MRS. M. H. GARVIN.

Note: Mrs. Garvin is the mother of seven children

Eckman's Alterative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists and

W. F. Henning, Charleroi, Pa.

CHILDREN'S KIDNEYS

No Charleroi Mother Should Neglect the Little One's Health.

Oftentimes weak kidneys cause great annoyance and embarrassment to children. Inability to control the kidney secretions, at night or while at play, is attributed to carelessness and too frequently the child is punished. Parents having children troubled with kidney weakness would do well to treat the kidneys with a tested and proven kidney remedy. If there is pain in the back, discolored urine, irregular urination, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, begin giving Doan's Kidney Pills at once. This remedy has been used in Kidney troubles for over 75 years—it has cured and has been recommended by thousands. Proof in a Charleroi citizen's statement.

Mrs. Robert Coulter, 207 Prospect Avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago my son contracted the measles and on recovering, I noticed that his kidneys were very weak. He had no control over the passage ff the kidney secretions and this was especially annoying at night. I had often seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised in the local papers and was finally induced to procure a supply at Piper Bros., Drug Store. I had my son use them according to direction and before long he was greatly benefitted. He is still using Doan's Kidney Pills and I am certain that a complete cure will soon be effected."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FOR DYSPEPSIA

You Risk No Money if You Try This Remedy.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bisbuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin carefully combined so as to develop their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They tend to soothe the irritable, weak stomach to strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, to relieve nausea and indigestion, thus promoting nutrition and bringing about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reasonable trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents 50 cents and $1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at our store—The Rexall Store. Carroll's Drug Store, 623 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi.

Nineteen Miles a Second.

without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No griping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25c. W. F. Henning's.

Every Woman's Complexion

is bound to show whether or not she is in good physical condition. If the complexion is muddy, the skin sallow; if pimples or skin blemishes appear it is then attention must be given to improve the bodily condition. There is one safe and simple way. Clear the system and purify the blood with a few doses of

Beecham's Pills

This well known vegetable family remedy is famous for its power to improve the action of the organs of digestion and elimination. They will regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver, tone the stomach and you will know what it is to be free from troubles, from headaches, backaches, lassitude, and extreme nervousness. They will make you feel healthier and stronger in every way. By clearing your system of poisonous waste Beecham's Pills will have good effect upon your looks—these they

Will Beautify and Improve

The directions with every box are of special value and importance to women. Sold everywhere. In boxes 10c., 25c.

Grand Theatre

Donora, Pa.

Thursday, March 7th

Monte Thompson Presents

The Best of American Comedies

The Man on the Box

From Harold McGrath's Most Popular Novel

SPECIAL CAST AND PRODUCTION

Prices---25c, 50c, 75c & $1.00

Seats on sale now at Piper and Dague's Druggists

DANDRUFF AND ITCHING SCALP YIELD TO ZEMO TREATMENT

Why should you continue to experiment with salves, greasy lotions and fancy hair dressings trying to rid your scalp of germ life. They can't do it because they cannot penetrate to the seat of the trouble and draw the germ life to the surface of the scalp and destroy it.

Why not try a PROVEN REMEDY? One that will do this. We have a remedy that will rid the scalp of germ life and in this way will cure DANDRUFF and ITCHING SCALP.

This remedy is ZEMO (ANTISEPTIC SOAP and one application of ZEMO will entirely rid the scalp of dandruff and scurf. Do not hesitate, but get a bottle of ZEMO today. It acts on a new principle and will do exactly what we claim for it.

Sold and endorsed in Charleroi by the Piper Bros. Drug Store.

EGGS FOR SETTING

RHODE ISLAND REDS

(100 Eggs for $5.00)

Inquire--J. K. MITCHELL

801 Crest Avenue Charleroi, Pa.

Persistent Advertising Brings Business Success

If the money that is spent every year by "occasional" advertisers were added up it would be found to amount to a large sum. By "occasional" adveristing is meant the using of space at irregular periods in newspapers. Local publicity is often done this way under the excuse of helping the paper, but the real reason, if the advertiser could be got to admit it, is that he is half hearted about the matter. He partly looks upon advertising as a luxury anyhow and so curtails his expenditure on it to the lowest limit.

Although the retailer may regard publicity as a luxury, it yet seems to be a dream on his part that one day he will make some real success and a handsome fortune through advertising. Indeed, down deep in all retailers' hearts is a feeling that money can positively be made through advertising. They know that huge fortunes have been and are being piled up by retail merchants with the aid of this limitless force, and they have secret hopes that one day they also may strike the royal road to success. If they but knew it that road lies straight and plain before every retailer in the country if he would only open his eyes to see it.

John Wanamaker, the great New York and Philadelphia retail merchant, on one occasion said: "Advertising doesn't jerk; it pulls." It begins very gently at first, but the pull is steady. It is likened to a team pulling a heavy load. A thousand spasmodic, jerky pulls will not budge that load, while one-half the force in steady effort will start and keep it moving."

Here is the solution in a nutshell—steady effort. The merchant who uses newspaper space only "occasionally" is the one who is dissatisfied with results. It is the steady pounding—and pounding again—that makes success in advertising as in everything else. All advertising is good in porportionate degree to how it is done, and even occasional advertising has some value, but to be successful to the point of permanently increasing your bank account, it must be done presistently and systematically.

What would you say about a clerk in your store who waited on your customers for a day or two and then sat down to rest for a few more days, leaving the customers to attend to themselves? You know how long your business would last under such conditions. It is the same with newspaper advertising. Publicity in newspapers is simply salesmanship on paper, and the same rules apply to it as apply to salesmanship in your store. Continuous effort and eternal polishing up of ideas and methods are necessary to make success either as a personal salesman in your store or as a salesman in newspapers.

You advertise to sell your goods and keep your name in front of people. It is only reasonable to suppose that you will be better able to do this with presistent effort than with spasmodic attempts. If you were to tell a man or woman daily about the quality and prices of your wares you would produce more effect than if you were to talk to him or her at uncertain intervals.

The question of changing the salesmanship or "copy" in your advertising space is an important one.

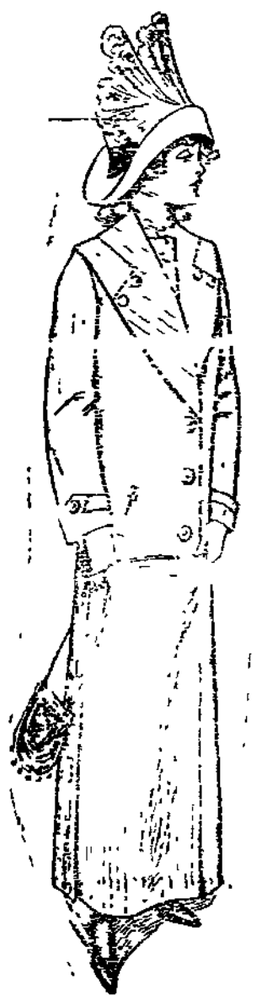
Some merchants never stop to think about an ad until the big industries pay rolls around, and then they write their copy in a few minutes, when time and thought is necessary, and then "rush" it to the newspapers the day they want it to appear, and than expect immediate returns.

Advertisement constructing is a profession like medicine or law. When you are sick you go to a physician; when you get into a legal difficulty you go to a lawyer.

When your business needs a stimulant why should you not put a competent man the job, and if you do not have such a man why not get one? and if you cannot do this why not employ someone out of the store to do it? Would you keep a clerk in your employ who could not wait upon a customer in the right way? Of course you would not—Your advertising copy not only needs but requires the same discrimination.

If you give it this attention, keep at it, sell the right kinds of goods at the right prices, and live up to your advertising, there is no doubt about your ultimate success.

Spring Coats :: and Suits ::



WE want to demonstrate to more people as we have already demonstrated to thousands, that we're in this business in a big way to meet your wishes with the greatest ease as to size, kind and color, and save you Dollars on every transaction. We have received from the makers, and are now showing, many beautiful and serviceable models in Spring Coats and Suits.

Our Spring Coats are all that could be desired in design and workmanship, embodying all the chic and smartness of the best designers of Europe and America. We have them in Serges, Whipcords and fancy Mixtures—in blues, grays and tans.

Our Suits will be a revelation to you and you will note the change in the style and fit. There are many smart models in Serges, Whipcords and Mixtures from which you should readily pick one to meet your approval.

Come and see the new assortments, learn about the prices, find out about the savings.

"Please you and save you money," that's our object ---as a pleased purchaser is our best advertisement

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

CHARLEROI, PENNA.

Among The Passers

Dark's folks weren't any more in the game in the second half than Jim Jeffries was in the battle with Jack Johnson three years back.

Speaking of greased lightning and other quicker things for which there is no name, there are the flashes of Adams and five others.

Allie Brown tore around the floor and did the sharp-shooting stunt always with six or four hanging to his shins.

The crowd was about as thick as a Sunday School picnic in a hornet's camp. Those who weren't there missed one of the best games of the season.

Dolin batted one in from the scrimmage at the east side of the floor after everybody else had had a try and thereby put a feather in his cap.

Sir William Herron threw one in from the rear end of the cage somewhere—his usual kind. At another time he got the ball under the basket with nobody near. Too close for him to sharpshoot successfully with both eyes open he solved the rifficulty by closing one. Talk about applause.

Captain Dark kept himself out of the game because of a boil on his right arm.

Cavanaugh got disgruntled because Dolin batted one in from a scrimmage, and accomplished the same thing himself.

Kummer landed a nice goal after threading his way through the Cherub forces nearly the length of the floor.

Adams, Jimsey Brown and Allie Brown formed an impregnable team on passing and shooting. Once Adams got the ball for a throw to the basket but hampered too much fooled the Coke boys, overthrow the netting into the hands of Allie Brown who shot safely.

No time was taken out in the first half.

Kummer showed the white streak in the latter part of the game, particularly in his foul shooting.

Jimsey Brown's speed in dribbling sorely tried the C'villians

Special

TODAY

Men's and Ladies' Shoes worth $3.50 to $4.00, our special

$2.45

ADOLPH BEIGEL

502 Fallowfield Avenue Charleroi, Pa.

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

Charleroi 47; Connellsville 24
Uniontown 27; Johnstown 23

Standing of the Clubs

	W	L	Pct
Johnstown	44	19	.698
Uniontown	13	19	694
Connellsville	34	29	.460
Charleroi	27	36	.429

Tonight's Schedule.

Uniontown at Connellsville.

EQUAL FRANCHISE SOCIETY IN COUNTY

After next Saturday Washington county will have an Equal Franchise League, a branch of the State and National organizations of that character. A meeting will be held in the public meeting room of the court house at Washington Saturday afternoon for the purpose of effecting the organization. Mrs. Janet Lyle of Buffalo Village is one of the leaders of the movement and it is expected that the meeting will be largely attended by women from all sections of the county.

HOODOO FINALLY BROKEN

Charleroi Turns Tables on Connellsville Folks

IS A TERRIBLE BEATING

The hoodoo that has been pursuing the Cherub basketball five for the last nine games, was given the go-by sign Monday night, when Charleroi met and defeated the Dark Connellsville aggregation. They did more than defeat them, they [illegible] spanked them so that Kummer and one or two others were ready to burst out crying when the timer called time. The curtain was drawn on the sad scene when the figures showed Charleroi 47, Connellsville 24.

Adams started the indignation meeting. His first contribution was a field goal. Dolin assumed the center of the stage next with a floor tally. This much took just one minute. By three floor shots and one foul Connellsville acquired the lead which they held until they got nine points.

At that juncture Adams pulled his cohorts out of a small hole by a foul and a moment later Allie Brown scored. Without being headed Charleroi climbed to 16 by another of the Allie Brown field goals and four Adams' foul tosses.

Connellsville tied the score at 16 through field goals by Kummer and Beggs and a foul by Kummer. Before there was time to say "shod," they chalked up another field goal, and led for the second time of the game. However, their moments of grace were short lived. Adams and Jimsey Brown scoring each a field goal. The end of the first part was 20 to 18, favor ourn.

Charleroi allowed, ger that, simply permitted for encouragement the Connellsvillians to score four times in the second half and two of those were foul goals. Meanwhile Captain John R. Adams, James Brown, James Dolin, Allie Brown and Sir William Herron were engaged in the delectable pastime of placing themselves in every conceivable position on the floor and shooting into the basket. Adams and Allie Brown proved the most conspicuous in the way of scoring and general all round playing. The team work of the Charleroi team was many percent above par. Lineup:

Charleroi 47		Connellsville 24.
Adams	F	Beggs
J. Brown	F	Kummer
Dolin	C	Cavanaugh
A. Brown	G	Doherty
Herron	G	Egolf

Fieldgoals—Adams 6, J. Brown 3, Dolin 2, A. Brown 4, Herron 2, Beggs 2, Kummer 3, Cavanaugh, Doherty 2, Egolf. Foul goals—Adams 13 out of 21, Kummer 6 out of 12. Referee—Weitzel.

Liggetts in the Field.

Manager Clark of the Liggett baseball team of Monongahela expects to be in the field again this season with an independent baseball club. Some new members are in prospect and a strong line-up is indicated.

MANY DRAWN TO MONESSEN BY THE PROMISE OF WORK

The announcement of new construction work about to begin at Monessen has brought many men seeking employment to that place. On an average of about 20 men have been nightly quartered for the last four nights at the Monessen police station it is said, nearly all of them strangers who say they are looking for work. Some who seem to be earnest in the matter have been given jobs at the steel mill and other Monessen mills.

Moose Lodge Buys Property.

The Loyal Order of Moose at California has purchased a lot fronting 60 feet on Wood street in the normal town for a consideration of $5,000. It is understood that the erection of a club house there is contemplated.

Railroad Buys Ground.

Ida M. Mansell of Belle Vernon has sold to the Pennsylvania Railroad company a lot in North Charleroi. The consideration was $1,500.

INDEPENDENTS GET FRANCHISE

Donora Council Grants Right to Telephone Company to Install Service

In one night by a suspension of the rules for second and third readings, Donora council passed an ordinance Monday night finally granting the Independent Telephone Construction company, the right to construct lines in the borough and institute a telephone service. The ordinance is now in the hands of the burgess and it is understood he will sign it.

The Independent Telephone Construction company which is the controlling spirit in the independent telephone service of this part of the Monongahela valley has been fighting for a foothold in Donora for [illegible] work will begin as soon as possible on the construction of lines. Meanwhile the company will work farther north along the river, and Monongahela will probably be the next point of attack.

Monessen is, after about three years fighting still keeping out the independent company.

FIGHT FANS TO GET CHANCE TO WITNESS MILL AT MONESSEN

Boxing fans up the Monongahela valley are to be treated to some rattling good bouts in the near future. A show is being arranged for an early date in Monessen, and Jimmy Mason's stable of classy fighters will appear against worthy opponents in the principal bouts. "Red" Bobinson is to hook up in the main event with a clever foeman. Al Graybeal will meet another good man in the semi-windup and Eddie Wimler will appear in one of the other events.

Died Alone in Shanty.

Coroner Heffran received word Monday morning of the death of a foreigner in a shanty at Gastonville near Finleyville. His name was not learned. Dr Witherspoon, of Finleyville had been called, and death was evidently due to natural causes. The coroner will make a further investigation.

No New Developments.

Quietness prevails at Chamount where a mine strike over the use of the safety lamp is now on. There have been no developments lately.

Auditor for North Charleroi.

On petition of Tom P. Sloan, R. A. Metz, John O. Wilson, Thad. Brant J. P. Kelley and Harry W. Scott of the borough of North Charleroi, the court on Monday appointed Seth C. Bane auditor.

Huber-Harlan.

Clarence Huber and Miss Pearl Harlan, both of Twilight borough were married Saturday by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice. They will likely live in Twilight.

The Last Word.

Creep into thy narrow bed.
Creep and let no more be said
Vain thy onset! All stand fast.
Thou thyself must break at last

Let the long contention cease!
Geese are swans and swans are geese.
Let them have it how they will!
Thou art tired, best be still.

They outtalked thee, hiss'd thee, torn thee!
Better men fared thus before thee:
Fired their ringing shot and pass'd,
Hotly charged—and sank at last.

Charge once more, then, and be dumb!
Let the victors, when they come,
When the forts of folly fall,
Find thy body by the wall!

LOCAL MENTION

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold its regular meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the reading rooms of the Young Peoples' Branch in the Odd Fellows' building.

Mrs. T. M. Faddis has gone to Philadelphia to visit friends.

Rev. G. G. Kerr, of Canonsburg, was a visitor in Charleroi this morning.

James Dolin, of the Charleroi basketball team, went to his home in Homestead this morning to visit.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer is a visitor in Pittsburg.

Bruce K. Barnett and Frank Arrison visited friends in Uniontown.

R. H. Rush left today for Harrisburg to look after some business matters.

Star Theatre

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The Mexican.
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Saturday Matinee, 1 to 4.30 p. m.
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Another lot of discontinued lines, and some of our famous Red Cross Shoes, a little out of style but unequaled in value. Regular price $3.50 and $4.50. Your choice at

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YOUNG PEOPLES' BRANCH TO OPEN READING ROOMS

The room on the first floor of the Odd Fellows Building at the corner of Washington avenue and Fifth street, which was recently rented by the Young People's branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be formally opened on Saturday of this week when an afternoon and evening reception will be held. The room has been fitted up and furnished largely through donations.

One feature will be the library, which will be a part of the organization. For this donations of books are now being received and the public on Saturday will be partly for the purpose of receiving additional volumes. It is proposed to keep the room open each evening of the week from 7 o'clock until 9:30. Up-to-date magazines and newspapers will be provided, and the library will be public.

CHARTER SPECIAL FOR TRIP TO HEAR "BILLY" SUNDAY

Special round trip tickets are being sold at Washington for an excursion to Wheeling Thursday to attend the meetings of Billy Sunday now in progress at the West Virginia city. Many of the county seat people attended the meeting Sunday, at which it is stated 36,000 were present. The tabernacle there is said to be the largest ever erected for any of the Sunday meetings, and it was so crowded that overflow meetings were held.

Poor City to Visit.

Friend—"And were you ever in Venice?" Mr. Richquick—"Yes. Slowest town I was ever in. The sewers were busted all the time we were there."—Puck.

Classified Ads.

FOR SALE—Eight room house, cheap. Lot 60 feet wide, good location. 608 Lookout avenue, Charleroi. 182-e. o. d.